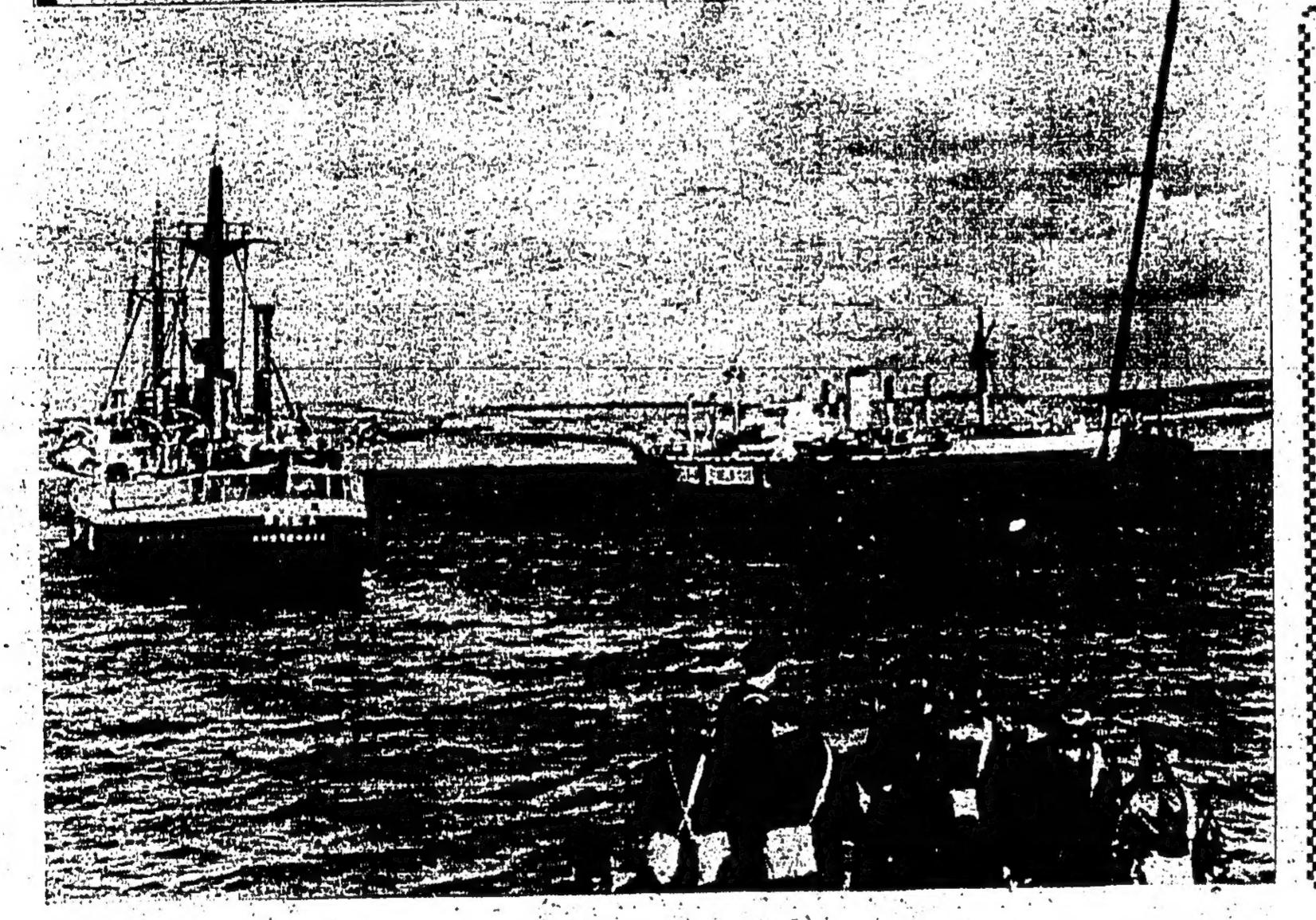
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## CONTRABAND CONTROL

These pictures were taken at a Contraband Control Base off the South Coast of England, and show how the British Navy examines the various ships and their cargoes. In the above view Control officers are examining the contents of packing cases, and at top left they are seen questioning the crew of a Dutch ship. At left are vessels standing by for the arrival of the Control Boarding party.

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War is war, but the famous French "vin rouge" is well worth taking time off for. These French and British soldiers near the front are sharing the traditional wine rations of the "pollu."

This mammoth railway gun below is one of

## Somewhere In France

(Photographs by Havas)



Looking like the fore-runner of an invasion from another planet in his oxygen mask, a pilot of the Royal Air Force prepares to leave the snow-covered ground in France for a patrol in the ley air miles above the earth.



To avoid the language difficulty, the British Tommy at left accompanies a French interpreter officer to a village somewhere in France. They are shown deep in conversation.



Snow provides an additional camouflage for a dug-out which conceals an anti-aircraft post near the front lines.



Mr. W. J. Jordan, High Com missioner of New Zealand in London, inspects one of the many contingents of New Zealand troops upon arrival in a British port, en route to



A formidable weapon of war are the French tanks with their deadly looking gun snouts protruding from front and sides.



These French and British aviators are studying maps and receiving instructions before setting off on a flight over Germany. The pilots, flying somewhat slower, but more maneauverable planes than the Germans, have given an excellent account of themselves in aerial combat.



Before you shoot, it is well to know what and where you're shooting. The French artilleryman shown here is taking a sight before firing

## CONTRACT BRIDGE

By Ely Culbertson

can well remember the time when pinochle was the favourite game of musicians. You could hardly get a card in the musicians' union if you couldn't take a hand at that game. To-day, however, the swing seems to be to contract bridge, as attested by this letter from a membet of the famous Philadelphia orchestra.

"Dear Mr. Culbertson: On our recent tour to New Orleans with the Philadelphia orchestra the following hand at rubber bridge was bid, played, and made in the club car of our special train:

"North, dealer.

"East-West vulnerable. "East-West part score 90.

NORTH S-10 7 6 H-A D-A Q 10 6 C-Q J 10 7 5 EAST WEST S-4 3 2 S-9 8 5 H-10 8 7 3 2 H-Q J 5 4 D-J 9 5 4 D-K 8 2 C-2C-943SOUTH S—A K & J

H-K 9 6

D-7 3 C-A K 8 6 "The bidding was: North, Matthew Mueller; East, Jasha Kayaloff; South, Manny Roth;

West, Benjamin Gusikoff. West East South North Pass Pass 1 spade Pass Pass 2 no trump Pass 3 clubs 4 diamonds Pass 4 no trump Pass Pass 5 no trump Pass 5 hearts Pass 6 no trump Pass B clubs Pass Pass Pass. clubs

"Considerable discussion and criticism by our opponents and kibitzers followed. In the first place it was said that North should have opened the bidding in spite of the opponents score of 90. My good friend, Benjamin Gusikoff, who is rated by

some as being the "Ely Culbertson of the orchestra" [to which title he doesn't object at all], said that we had no right to arrive at a grand slam since it depended on the diamond finesse. Had the diamond king been in the wrong hand North would have been thrown off the train somewhere between stations, preferably right in the middle of Tobacco road.

"Was the seven club bid proper, and what about the rest of the bidding? We use the Blackwood convention for slams.

"You no doubt can readily appreciate that we of the Philadelphia orchestra take quite seriously the four B's [Bach, Beethoven, Brahms, M. J. M." and bridge].

I'm afraid that North and South didn't bid this hand very logically. The kibitzer who said that North should have opened the bidding was perfectly right. If anything, you stretch a point to bid in this situation. Your friend Gusikoff [to whose title I, too, don't object at all was equally right when he said you shouldn't have been in a grand slam which depended on a finesse. A grand slam should be about a 3 to 1 shot. A finesse is just an even chance.

Logical bidding, in my opinion, would have been the following: East South North 1 diamond Pass 2 spades Pass 4 no trump Pass 3 clubs 5 no trump Pass 6 clubs Pass Pass

North's opening bid should be in diamonds, even though clubs are the longer suit. In that way, the rebid of two clubs can be made without the necessity of "reversing." When North bids the clubs South should make sure the partnership gets to a small slam, with a hint at the grand slam. North might bid seven [and would easily make it] if he had a six card club suit, the heart queen, or the diamond king,



Two girls who have said goodbye to the bright lights and an interesting social life with all the attendant comforts, are the Misses Delma Taylor and Hilary Braybrooke shown above. They have joined the Women's Land Army and are on a farm at Chiddingstone, near Edenbridge, Kent. Before the war Miss Taylor was secretary in London to Sir Robert Witt, and Miss Braybrooke resided at her home in the small Wealden township of Hawkhurst. Both these girls are earnest in their endeavours and provide an outstanding example of the will-to-win spirit which prevails in the W.L.A. In the above view, James Tuthill and George Eden, cowmen on the farm, who were both prisoners of war in the last war, are seen relating their experiences to Hilary and Deima during a brief rest from duties. (Fox Photo, Copyright).

in addition to the red aces. If using the Blackwood convention, North would respond five hearts and six clubs to four and five no trump, respectively. Curiously enough, seven spades would have been a laydown without the diamond finesse, and it could hardly be reached by logical bidding."

CHIVALRY—The high resolve of every man to protect every woman against every other man.

BIGAMY—A form of insanity which causes a man to pay three board bills instead of two.

SCIENTIST-A long bearded old chap who tries to discover life on the planets, but doesn't go in for much of it here on earth.

HUG-A roundabout way of displaying affection.

DEBTOR-A man who owes money. A creditor is the man who thinks he is going to get it.

DISCRETION-A sense that comes to a man too late to do him any good.

SUNDAY CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

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34 Greek letter 35 Food fish 37 Outfit 39 Symbol for iridium 40 Unit of work

42 Humorist 44 Investigation 46 Genuine 48 Container

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55 Loitered 58 Amphitheatres

61 Hail! 62 Waterwheel 64 High note 65 Dance step 66 Trades 67 Crow-like bird

VERTICAL 1 Small pocket 2 Sheep 3 Enthusiast 4 Dill

5 Division of a 6 Japanese measure.

LAST WEEK'S SOLUTION

7 Yellow bugle 8 Hindu goddess 9 Breathed

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mischief 16 Bracing 18 Fairy 20 Ancient 22 More decrepit 23 To harden

25 Northern bird 27 Clan 28 Court circuits 30 Bovine 32 Small drink

38 Indication 41 Asiatic river 43 Youngster 45 Unlocked 47 Record 49 Path

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36 Candle

54 Cleopatra's handmaid 55 To drink 56 Humming-bird 57 Female rabbit

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Patricia Lindsay pleads for better care of hands.

"ALWAYS look first at a person's hands," states Lily Pons, the petite star of screen and opera, "and then at their eyes. Hands can be so expressive that they are often an excellent indicator of a man or woman's character."

With that quotation as a lead, you can guess that to-day I am pleading for better care of hands. You do not have to be a lady of leisure to have hands of which you may be justly proud-in fact active, creative, working hands are by far the most interesting to look at and they can be, if properly cared for, the most beautiful: A weekly manicure at home or in a salon, daily pushing back of the cuticle with an orange stick, a cleaning by brushing, and the pretty constant use of a hand cream or lotion, are the fundamental rules for hand care."

Of course there are other rules which encourage hand beauty. Have you ever tried the miraculous treatment of annointing your hands with hot olive oil and then sliding into heated cotton gloves? Keep them on while you read this month's installment of your favourite magazine serial and then behold the wonders! If you can stand them, sleep with gloves on over the oil—those which tie snugly at the wrists with ribbon.

Miss Lily Pons would urge you to exercise your fingers to keep them supple. She gives hers a daily work-out to keep the knuckles from enlarging and to make her hand graceful in its actions. Here is her routine:

Play the scale of a piano "on air" or place the tips of your fingers on a table, holding wrists nigh and arching knuckles. Then lift each finger separately, as high as you can, and curved as though you were about to pounce on an ivory key—then let it drop. Repeat this with both hands, several times, being certain to keep your wrists off the table and your knuckles arched.

To strengthen wrists and to whip up sluggish circulation (which causes hands to be an unattractive red) hold both hands out in front of you and shake them loosely and vigor—



There is remarkable grace and beauty in Lily Pons' hands. She cares for them diligently.

ously from the wrists. Try fingers snap at each other as you shake. This should be done once a day.

Another good finger exercise is this: Hold your hands, palms outward, close to your shoulders—as you do in a gesture of surprise. Then thrust your hands outward, spreading your fingers as you do, and moving only your forearm. Your upper arms are held close to your sides.

Powdered pumice mixed into a paste and applied to stains by an orange stick is an effective means of banishing them, if you do it after

your hands have soaked in soap and water for three or four minutes. Occasionally rub a bit of lemon juice into your hands and for a quick bleaching, use a cream hand mask which softens and whitens in a jiffy.

Never use scissors or other steel aids while manicuring, excepting nippers which are used to snip off annoying hangnails. Keep your nails oval in shape and nicely tinted with polish. Let any party find your hands well groomed and revealing the character of a meticulous beauty!

## FOR YOUR BEAUTY'S SAKE

YOU can reduce knuckles and mould the tips of your fingers by working each finger as though you were pulling off a glove. Particularly is



Charming Section Leader L. N. Stephens has a voice to make any Sergeant Major envious. When drilling members of the A.T.S. at an Eastern Command depot, she can be heard right across the parade ground. (Fox Photo, Copy-

this a good idea if you pound a type-writer, which tends to flatten your fingers at the ends. For lovely, mobile fingers, make a tight fist—fling your fingers out, fan shape, then relax completely. Repeat ten times on each hand.—Annabelle Lee in Chatelaine.

Before stockings are worn even for the first time, they should be rinsed in lukewarm water. This softens the fibres and makes the runs fewer and farther between. Use mild soap flakes and make sure they are completely dissolved before you plunge your stockings into the water. A teaspoon of vinegar added to the rinse water counteracts the alkali in the soap. It's an advantage to dry stockings on a glass rod, because it automatically eliminates the possibility of their catching on wood and snagging.-Harper's Bazaar.



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## Summer Ahead

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A very tailored peasant type culotte ensemble is chosen by Joan Perry for her Paim Springs holiday. The culotte itself is heavy weight lustrous grey poplin, high-waisted, and showing flap pockets, while the tuck-in gathered blouse is yellow cotton challis, with bright coloured figures. Irene Bury designed it.





Cruise bound wardrobes need just such a trim pyjama suit as that modelled by Joan Perry above. The silvery coloured fabric is contrasted with faded tile accents in the hood lining, buttons and belt buckle. Her cork-soled raffia sandals use the same colours. Another Irene creation.



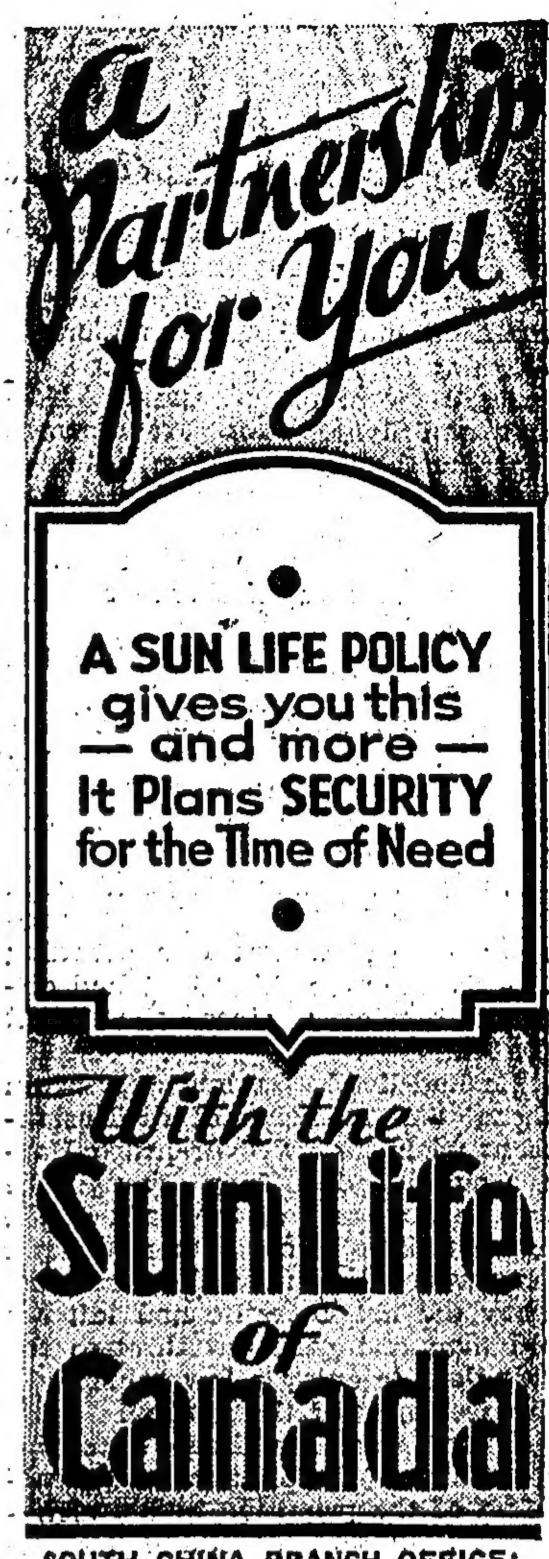
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Red Petunia is the name of this sleek bathing suit worn by Linda Winters at left. The fabric is a two-way stretch silk lastex, with fitted brasslere top and front skirt. A suit designed by Mabs.

A Cocoanut Paim design is used for the print of Linda Winters swim-suit at right. The background is white, with flamingo red in the print. Two-way stretch silk lastex, for which there is an even bigger demand this year.



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# TAILSPIN Very cunning was this murder plan; but it failed in a simple way.

THE steady drone of the engine was not the music to Collett that it usually was. He sat with eyes glued on the head and shoulders of the man in front of him and his thoughts were not pleasant. Helmet and flying suit transformed : that head and shoulders into a grotesque shape, but Collett had seen them that way so often before that the fact left him unmoved.

It was Harper who sat at the controls.

That was the only thing that mattered.

In perhaps half an hour the Timor crossing would be safely accomplished and the first long stretch of their record-breaking flight completed to schedule.

Instead of rejoicing in such good fortune, as Harper was most probably doing, Collett was brooding bitterly over the thing that had obsessed him ever since the flight started.

He had lived over and over again : those vital moments of disillusionment when he had over-heard Harper and Magda. They thought he was in the study at the back of the house talking to her father, thought they were all alone on the verandah. They did not know he had left the old man and gone out through the side door to enjoy a few minutes in the freshness of the garden.

Collett was like that—there was something of the dreamer and something of the primitive in his makeup. At all sorts of odd hours he would crave for the freedom and freshness of space and the out-ofdoors.

Harper liked the headlines, the cheering thousands, the hero-worship. He had tasted of the fleeting popularity that the world gives to its hero of the moment, and he was made for the limelight. Collett was different. He was glad that Harper did like that sort of thing, for it gave him the opportunity to slip away while his partner was basking in it.

That was how he came to overhear those fateful words. He was walking quietly on the lawn.

"No, Peter," he heard Magda say, "I shan't tell him until the flight is over. It wouldn't be fair. He would worry about it, and you know you say yourself that a man can't afford to think of anything else when he's out to break a record. He must give everything he's got to the job."

"When you put it that way, you're right, of course," Harper had replied.

"Martin's too fine a man to have anything to happen to him," Collett's flancee went on. "Although I don't love him the way I thought I did when I accepted his ring, I still have a whole heap of admiration for him, Peter."

"He's the best cobber a man could Peter had said that, the have." swine.

"When you get back, and all the shouting's over," Magda said, "I'll tell him. Don't you give him a hint of it, whatever you do."

"I'll try not to, but it'll be devilish hard."

There was quite a pause and then Harper his friend- By W.

had said: "This had better be our adieu, Magda. we'll get I don't supporse another chance."

And now Harper sat at the controls, unconscious of the fact that there was no need to wait until the shouting was over. Collett knew now - knew of his rottenness, knew that he was the kind of man who would come between his best friend and his flancee.

Harper didn't know, either, that he would never go back to taste the sweetness of stolen fruit. He didn't know that as Collett sat behind him brooding.

Harper thought there would be more plaudits, more cheering crowds, more hero-worship. He thought that this flight that had started so auspiciously was going to add another record to their already fine list of achievments.

Instead of that there was going to be an unlucky accident somewhere along the route. An accident in which, in spite of Collett's desperate efforts to save him, Harper was going to lose his life.

Harper turned in his seat and

pointed over the side. There was a happy grin that his fans worship-

Collett nodded. The Timor had been crossed and the plane winged on steadily northward. Harper thought it was important. But then he didn't know.

Then a terrifying thought entered Collett's mind. If a fellow let a thing become an obsession like this, would it effect his reason?

He never answered that question. There was a sudden grating, churning sound in the engine, then the horrible noise of rending metal. A crash. Flying fragments . . . . .

Harper turned again and his voice, loud in the stillness, was as calm as' though he were announcing breakfast.

"Plenty of speed and height, See if you can spot a landing."

The next moment he saw Harper struggling. The stick had jammed!

Watson Sharp third time Harper looked

"We've got to bail out." He was still matter of fact.

"Jump, count three, then pull the ring on the rip cord." Collett did not realise he was speaking.

Harper jumped to his feet. As he did there was another rending, but it was fabric that tore this time—the parachute on which he had been sitting. His face went white.

in that instant all Collett's thought processes reversed. He became a man again. Magda! And it was Harper whom Magda loved!

He stood up and struggled with the straps that held his parachute to his back. The plane was rocking already.

"Here. Take mine."

"Don't be a blinking fool," snapped Harper urgently. "Jump."

Collett saw there was only one way. He closed a fist and caught the other square on the point of the jaw. Harper slumped back in-

to his seat in the rocking plane. Collett worked feverishly in a mad race against time. He turned Harper over and tore at the straps of the ruined 'chute.

The straps came unbuckled and he threw the useless thing aside. He got his own off and feverishly buckled it on the other man.

He laughed wildly when the thing was accomplished. Harper was saved against his will. Still laughing, he picked up the senseless man and heaved him overboard.

Not a second too soon. The 'plane twisted and spun. He knew the end had come . . . the tail spin.

It was then that he realised what he had done. He went spinning into eternity with the question on his lips.

How could an unconscious man count three and pull the ring on the rip cord?

"Grapes Of Wrath" Consigned To Flames

Most spectacular so far of the local attempts to suppress John Steinbeck's "The Grapes of Wrath" is the order by the Library Board of East St. Louis, Illinois, that three copies of the novel be burned. This symbolic form of attack is characterized by Viking Press as "the first known case of actual burning a la Hitler" as far as this volume is concerned.

The burning was condemned in a telegram to the Library Board by the National Council on Freedom from Censorship. The telegram stated that the action "condemns itself as a parallel to recent acts by totalitarian governments." The telegram continues, "Instead of burning the book, more copies should be made available for what your own librarian described as the waiting list longer than for any other book in recent history."

Interestingly enough, the order for the burning came just as the book had rolled up its biggest week's sales figure in the seven months since publication early last April. The sales during that week totalled 11,350. Copies in print now number 360,000, including a new printing of 50,000. Meanwhile the book has been assigned as reading in sociology at the College of the City of New York.—From Publishers' Weekly, New York.

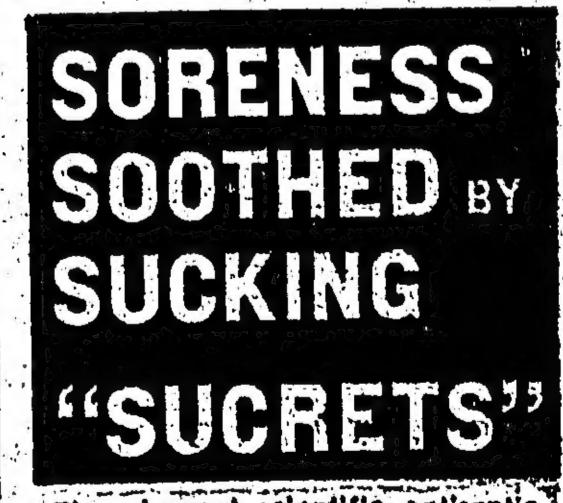
MOTHER NATURE GETS A

LAUGH Met a briefly built Midwest professor married to a large, towering wife. Heard their story from friends who have known them for years. At their wedding breakfast, after refreshments, the professor, made a speech that surprised every one, his bride included. "Look at me," he said. "I'm a runt. Now look at this tall girl I've just married. Her mother is tall; her father is tall; her sisters and brothers and uncles and

aunts are all tall. That's why I picked 'em. Genetics. Out of a family like that I ought to get blg tall sons instead of runts like my-

In time his plan worked, except for one detail. He begat no tall sons, but he now supports five towering daughters!

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## Reserves On Parade

(Photographs, Kahn)



The Indian Company, under Asst. Supt. Feroz All, one of the three Reserve teams entered in the competition, is seen above during the drill.



The judges, from left to right, were Lt.-Col. E. J. R. Mitchell, H.K.V.D.C., the Hon. Mr. King, and Asst. Supt. R. H. E. Marks.



The Chinese Company, under Asst. Supt. D. Loie, who were included.
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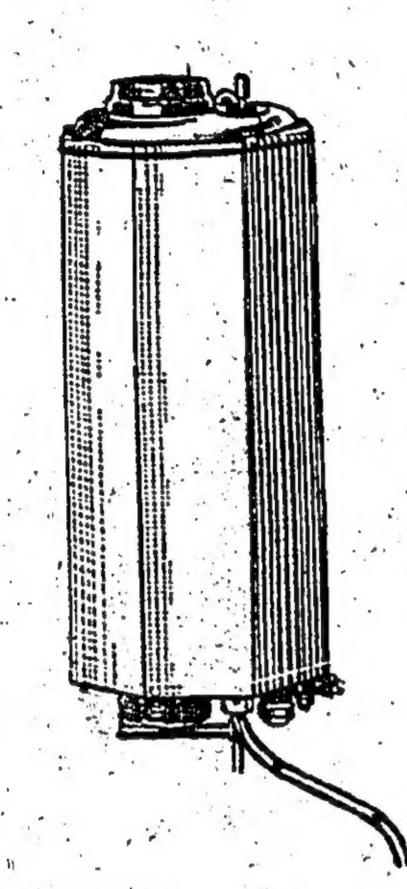
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The French language is tish Tommies in France. run into a bit of trouble, come to his rescue and, ouring to



A trenen digging party



The Royal Air Force in France
have named their billet "Grosvenor House," as can be seen
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The work of trench digging is a daily activity.
In this photograph are
the Camerons hard at
work.



Arthur Danaher, the well-known welter-weight boxer, has joined the Irish Guards. He is shown at the right of this picture, seated in the recruiting office.



returning to billets, headed by a piper.



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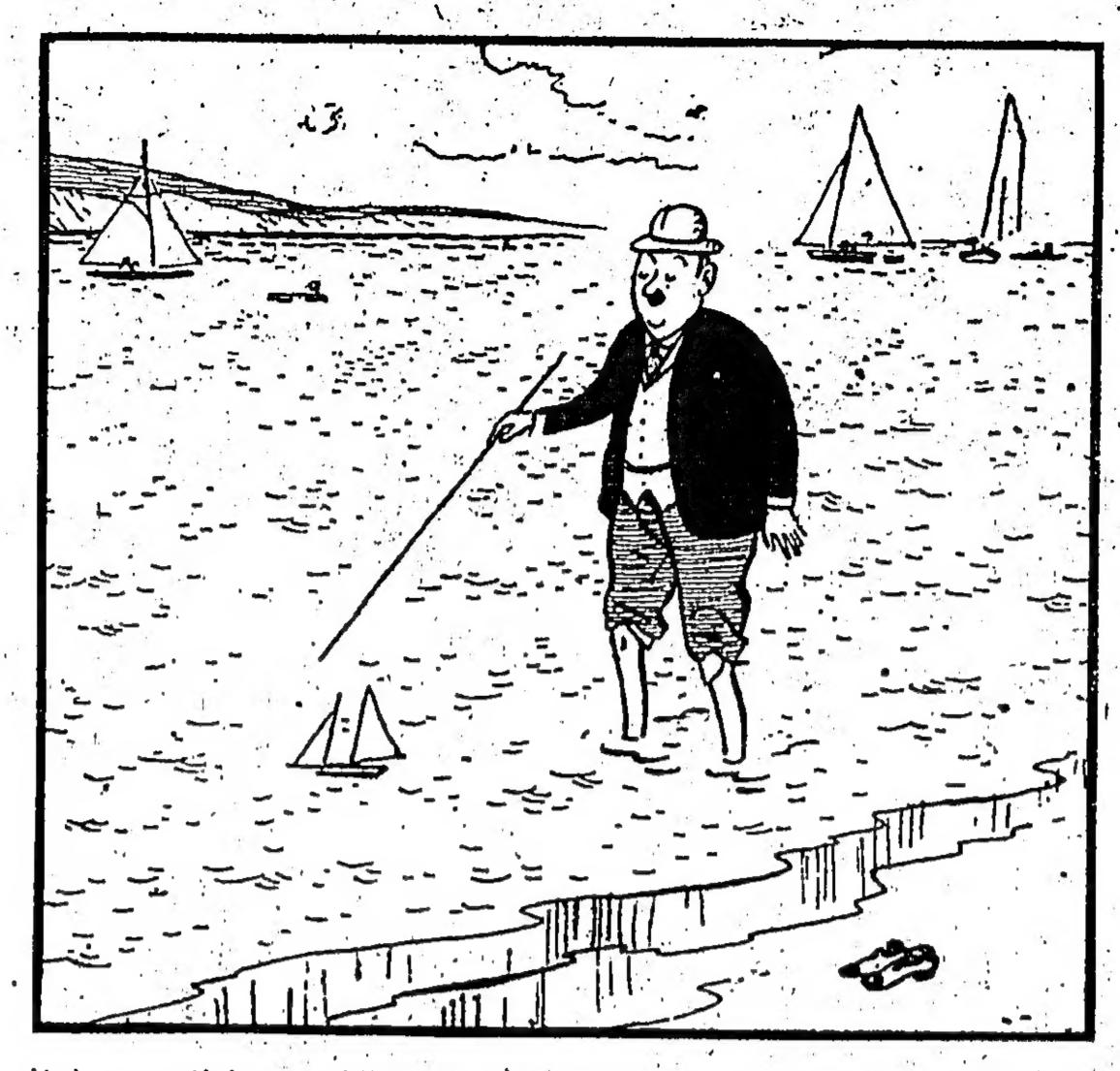
## LETTER TO PARIS

To have his holiday, the Englishman will suffer any martyrdom. Every year, he takes a trip. In his own country he enjoys himself with contraint, but how different is the Englishman once he is abroad! A Frenchman tells you.

Mon Cher Ami,

ONE of our philosophical observers has said, "If you wish to learn the true character of a man, watch him in moments of relaxation." Well, this, like so many of our philosophical observations, is reasonable, but has loopholes. You may apply it, no doubt, to most kinds of men. Do you remember that evening, at the Hotel Negresco, when we attended the Russian Party of Prince Kannibalsky? That Count, whose name sounded like a sneeze-how he, mon dieu, in his relaxation, demonstrated the Russian character as we are accustomed to picturing it! At midnight, he beat a waiter; at 1 a.m. went down on his knees and begged the waiter's forgiveness; at one-fifteen, he bathed an American millionairess in Cointreau; at one-thirty he danced a gopak; at one-forty-five he tried to drown himself in a blanc-mange; at two, he borrowed a thousandfranc note on a plea of desperate poverty, and then, with a dramatic gesture, 'lit a cigar with it; at twofifteen, he kicked his wife; at twotwenty, in remorse, he tried to shoot himself with a fork which he thought was a pistol; at two-twenty-

## To have his holiday, the Englishman will suffer any martyrdom. Every year, he The Englishman Relaxes



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five he insulted us all, and, in the same breath, begged our pardons ... and so it went on, until, at three o'clock, he caressed an iced pudding, murmuring: — "Darling, how cold your shoulders are!" and

so became unconscious.

Yet if you watch the Englishman relaxing, you learn nothing. He enjoys himself with constraint. Every year, he takes a holiday; perhaps fifteen days. In his holidaymaking, as in his daily round, he is a creature of habit. He goes, year after year, to the same resort, where he stays at the same pension, and does the same things. (This, of course, if he is of the working class, or petit bourgeois type.) There are families who have gone to no other place than Southend-on-Sea for twenty successive years.

Southend-on-Sea is delightfully typical of the average English seaside town. It has its classified divisions. Society arranges itself according to the points of the compass. The east side of the town is simply "Southend"; it is left to the working-men. The middle classes, fearing to soil their reputation by working-class contact, adhere to the cliffs a little further west, and say, "We do not stay at Southend, but at Westcliff." There is even an aristocratic sub-division of the Westcliff, where there used to be a well of chalk; and the residents there say: -- "Southend! Ugh! Westcliff! Pooh! We stay at Chalkwell."

It is the same in most other towns. Brighton has its Hove. Margate has its Cliftonville.

It is an education to spend a few days at one of these places. The Englishman comes out with his family. With set faces they walk up and down the promenade. Then they rush to the sand, and, in the manner of miners at goldfields, stake out a claim; a bit of beach on which they sit or lie. The females smear themselves with oil and lie flat on their backs. When the sun has cooked their fine English skin to a suitable state of redness and agony, they turn over and let their backs cook a little. You are reminded of a gigantic cannibals' kitchen, in which flayed carcases are pegged out for the ovens.

The children solemnly dig profound trenches in the sand, with great iron spades; or set about the grave business of burying alive such sun-bathers as happen to be asleep.

But the beach-sports vary according to the beach. On sandy beaches, one sits still; or, if one is very energetic, improvises the inevitable English cricket-match with a rubber ball and spade. I tell you, if you put two Englishmen on a desert island, their first thought would be to make a bat out of bam-

boo and a ball out of a coconut.

On pebbled beaches, however, one's life is perpetually in danger, since the local sport is throwing stones. Tens of thousands of boys play ducks-and-drakes with razor-edged flints. Big, stern men, sitting in their canvas chairs, erect targets of wood or cardboard; gather heaps of murderous pebbles, and organise a bombardment.

Universally, one paddles. What is paddling? It is a survival of the age of unclean feet. What a land this is, for tradition! Even the foot-washing rituals survive! It is essential to paddle. The men roll up their trousers, and stand up to the ankles in seawater, waiting with a serious delight for the tickling of the little waves. The women, also, display their legs in the process.

Others fish. They sit for hours on the end of the piers, placidly holding a rod. Sometimes, from the oily depths of the sea there emerges a small flat fish, no larger than the palm of a girl's hand. At this, the English restraint is thrown to the winds, and people roar with appreciation:—"A dab! He caught a dab! Look at that dab! By God, what a dab!" And the fisherman, trying to hide his joy, puts the fish into an enormous basket.

To have his holiday, the Englishman will suffer any martyrdom. It appears that the whole of England goes to the same seaside place on the same day, for the same two weeks. There is no accommodation, The English seaside hotel is notorious for its lack of accommodation. Often, one has to sleep in the bath, on the billiard table, or in the coalcellar. The Englishman accepts all this philosophically. Starve him. freeze him; give him kippers every day, and he will merely say: "Well, its the holidays. What can you expect?" Furthermore, it often rains. In that case, the Englishman feels at home. He sits in the crowded drawing-room of his hotel or pension, and stares out into the wet streets, while the children weep. "Well, it's the holidays. What more do you want?"

In the evenings, there is nothing to do except go to the cinema. The young, it is true, indulge in a little romance. Typist meets clerk without restraint. The clerk spends his year's savings royally, and says:—"I am an actor," or "I am a managing director." The girl accepts his largesse disdainfully, and says: "I am on the films," or "I am of independent means." It is not lying: simply fiction, inspired by the atmosphere of the holiday, something similar to the yarn spinning for which our own Provencale is notor-

There is more plain reality to be found in the more common parts of the English seaside towns. There, the holidaymakers simply let themselves go, which is how a holidaymaker should behave. They shriek. They spend fabulous sums on scenic railways and rifle ranges, and buy little American sailor-hats of paper inscribed with phrases like "Come up and see me sometime," and "I'm no angel." They give way to their natural tendency to shellfish and peppermint rock. An astronomical quantity of cockles, winkles, shrimps, and whelks are consumed.

The cockle and mussel fishers strive like toilers of the sea to dig enough of these molluscs out of the mud; and factories, given over to the production of those vast cylinders of red sugar without which no English holiday is complete, work day and night. The beer-houses are so full of people that it is necessary to be in the doorway at opening time to reach the bar before the house closes. And again, little passenger-boats take tight-packed loads of men and women on short trips, after closing-time; for, once an Englishman is on the high seas, he may drink beer after three in the afternoon without fear of the law.

Yes, my friend, the English take their pleasure seriously. The population squirms; sunburnt. Fathers (Continued on Page 11)



T happened in the local pub the other night. We were discussing the alleged fantastically long hours of German workers, especially those in the armaments industry.

"Personally, I'd rather work ten hours for the Nazi than five hours for the French," said a voice from the end of the counter.

Our neighbour swung around. For a moment it looked like being a first-rate scrap. But he calmed down and asked:

"What's your job, anyway?" "Oh, I'm an undertaker," was the reply. — Jean Qui Rit in Men Only, London.

On Sunday, December 7, 1939, a new advance in the method of communication was officially recorded at a Buenos Aires, Argentina, hospital.

For the first time, a bed-ridden patient, deprived of the use of her hands, was enabled to "correspond" with her relatives via a portable phonopostal set which recorded her message on a small phonograph disk, which was then mailed at the cost of a small postal fee.

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The phonopostal method is an Argentine invention, having been first demonstrated before the meeting of the Universals Postal Congress held during the month of April in Buenos Aires.

The "spoken correspondence" may be mailed to any member country of the Postal Union. Two recording booths have already been installed at the main post office in the Argentine capital and others are being placed in branch offices. During December 2,377 records were mailed from the central post office alone. -La Prensa, Buenos Aires.

An artificial island has been created in New York Bay through the pumping of sand up from the bottom. For two years the clams and fish pumped up with the sand made easy living for flocks of gulls, says Charles B. Driscoll.

Lately there has been no pumping for three or four months, but the gulls continue to come back for their dole. As many fish as ever swim in the bay but these stupid birds have forgotten how to catch them, or else have become too lazy and spoiled to make the effort. Some

## POTPOURRI

An Accumulation of Interesting and Humorous Odds and Ends Noted in the Month's Reading.



Old inner-tubes, to make gloves for men in the anti-aircraft units, are used by the Gravesend Women's Voluntary services. At this centre, Mrs. Walter C. Fletcher, Mayoress of Gravesend, is one of the most energetic workers, and is seen on the extreme right of this picture. (Fox Photo, Copyright).

be puzzled by the fragrant scents

The cosmetic manufacturers,

Houbigant, whose plant is in that

vicinity, have found an excellent use

for shopworn jars of perfumed bath

salts. They sprinkle them on the

sidewalks in front of the Houbigant

Building, furnishing a nonskid sur-

face for pedestrians on the icy pave-

ment. The result is a delightful fra-

grance of many flowers, including

such popular ones as magnolia, lilac,

which fill the air.

of them will starve waiting for their

good Santa Claus to return. Birds and men—they're still alike in spite of all the evolution since the Mesozoic Age. -Nation's Business, Washington,

D. C.

In Germany dogs have become another source of raw material. Recently, we received the following communication:

"When the cities near the Western Front were evacuated, all dogs had to be left behind. They were killed and the authorities discovered that soap could be made out of the carcasses! From now on, all dogs between the ages of one to five years must be turned in because of the scarcity of soap.

-Das Neue Tage-Buch, Paris.

\* \* \* Strangers in New York City who happen to be in the neighbourhood of West Forty-fifth Street near the Hudson River in the winter may

and, winking at waitresses, are ap-

Boston.

trying to put on his gas-mask, got; his beard hopelessly tangled up in it, and at length, overcome with failure, exhaustion and rage, tore off the gas-mask, shouting, "Let Hitler" take Europe!" -Louis Katin in Men Only, London.

rose, gardenia, violet, lavender and

lily. - Christian Science Monitor,

Strictly orthodox Jews do not;

shave their chins. A story comes

from Jerusalem that a pious Jew,

The Chinese have a saying: "Give your child a licking every day. If you don't know why, the child does."

-Punch, London.

Pa.: Benjamin Philadelphia, Franklin didn't always practise the thrift he preached, it was shown by William Fulton Kurtz, president of the Pennsylvania Co., in turning over the records of the Bank of North America (oldest banking institution in the country) to the Historical Society of Pennsylvania. A study of the old bank's accounts

showed that Franklin "was over-

drawn at the bank at least three

days out of every week." -Newsweek, New York.

In Germany the relatives of soldiers killed on the battlefield have been requested not to wear mourning. The Nazi authorities assert that the glorious death of a German soldier should not be cause to don sombre attire; on the contrary, the relatives of the soldier killed on the field of honour should experience a. surge of pride at so glorious an ending. At the same time, the relatives are requested to inform only members of the family of the casualty. -Nebelspalter, Rorschach.

RELAXES ENGLISHMAN

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cuff their children's heads, saying "You're here to enjoy yourself, d'ye hear. And you're going to enjoy yourself, you little misery, if I have to wring your neck to make you do

But how different is the Englishman, once he is abroad! Ah! Ah! Then, my friend, you see what they think of the French, these grim fellows. There are steamers which run day-trips to Boulogne. Many calm and respectable middle-class Englishmen take these trips. And as soon as they touch our ports, they look about them for continental gaiety. They expect the gendarmes to have long beards and perform the can-can. They look for all the horrors of Sodom and Gomorrah. They are astonished when they see that Frenchwomen wear clothes;

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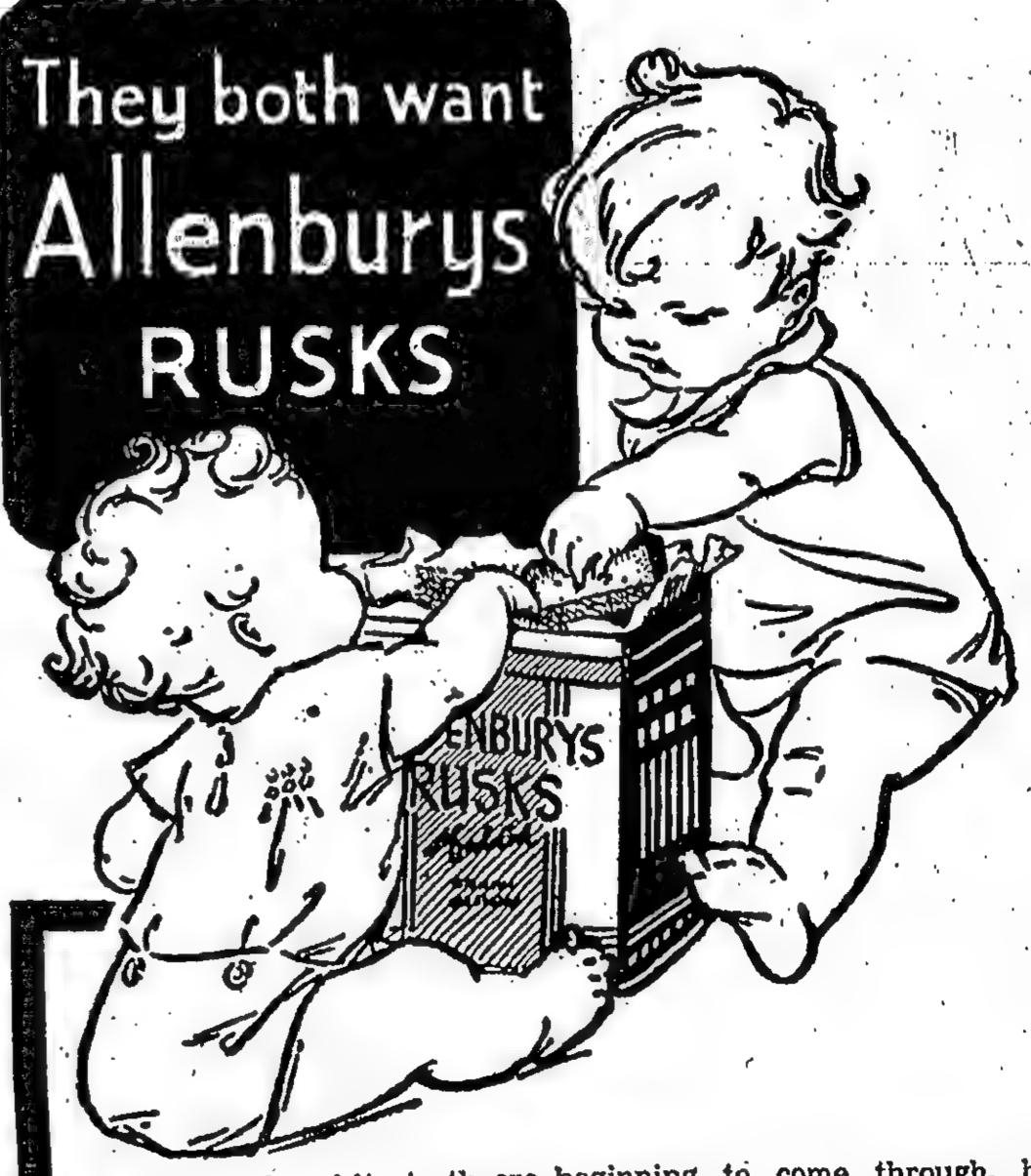
palled when they are not instantly embraced and dragged to a dark corner: In cabarets, they are disappointed if any of the soubrettes are not nude. "What, is this France?" they ask, disparagingly. They rush to the bookstalls for copies of Paris and Beaute. They scour the streets for red lights. They buy vast quantities of eigarettes, simply for the pleasure of trying to smuggle them into England. (For although the Englishman is the most law-abiding man on earth, there is nothing which gives him keener joy then breaking a little law.) They look at their watches; see it is four in the afternoon, and observe, with ecstacy, that the cafes are still selling coffee . . . storm restaurants, and half hope, half fear to get frogs, snails, and horseflesh. (But I will deal

with the Englishman seeking entertainment abroad in another letter.) And when the boat leaves, they return to their seaside-place on the English coast; and, after having been away for a few short hours, leap ashore and say:—"Ah! There's no place like home; It's fine to be back in good old England again!"

What can you do with such people? Give my love to Mitzl. her warts are better. The English cure warts by having them charmed away by witches. There is also

a remedy which consists of concentrated acetic acid, which burns away the skin. The English use it for pickling cauliflower, which they call "Picalilli."

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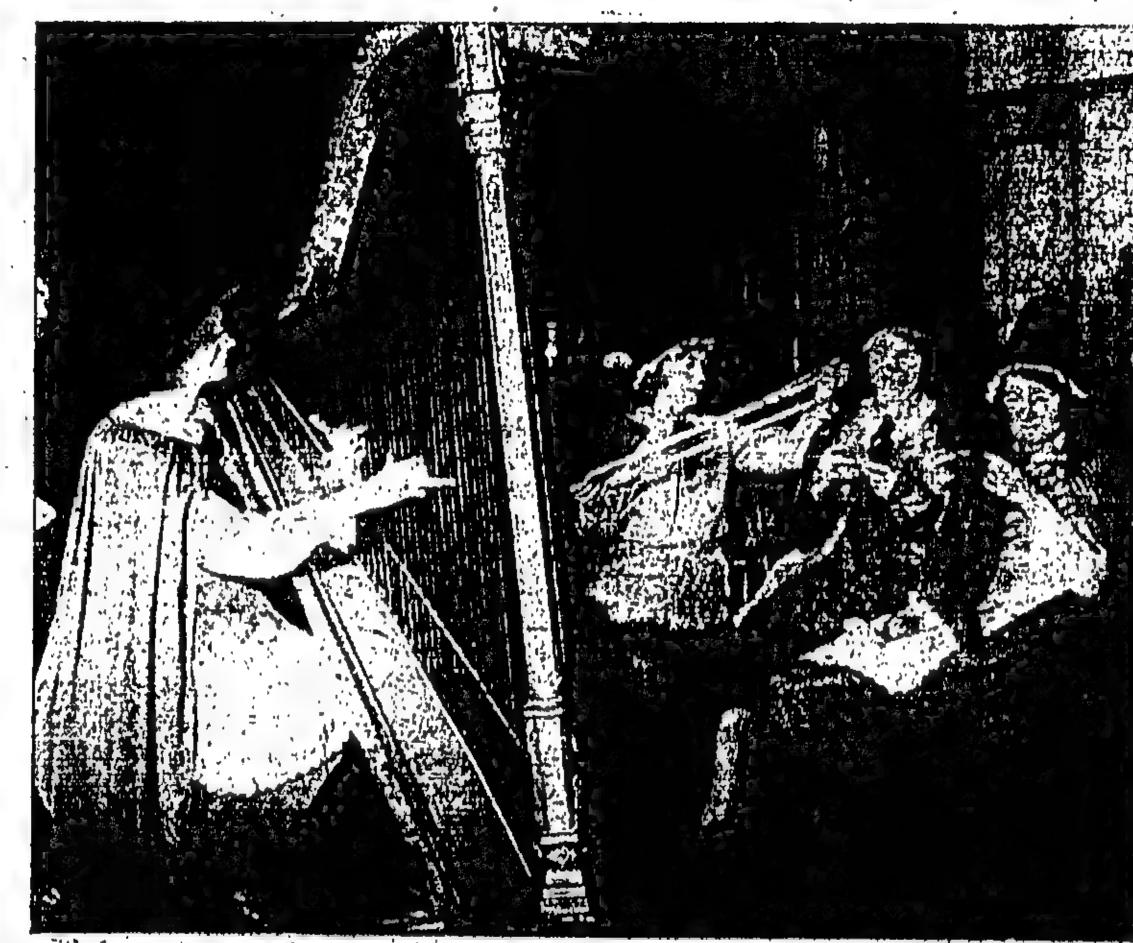
# PICTURES FROM LONDON

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(At Left)—A feeding time study at the London Zoo, showing indian lions making short work of their meal. The lioness puts her tongue out at the photographer, while "papa" goes on munching.



Her Majesty the Queen inspecting the Women's Land Army at Goldsmiths' Hall, London. During her visit she inspected 100 Land Army volunteers.



With a 300-year-old farmhouse as a setting, these Welsh girls give to the scene a picturesque atmosphere as they sit knitting comforts for the troops, while one of their number strums on an old Weish harp.



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There was activity at this Eastern Command depot when members of the Auxiliary Territorial Service were seen making use of their rest from duties by induiging in a little physical exercise with the aid of a rope.



Official help is now being given to several Monmouthshire schools to aid in producing food in their school pardens. Youngeters are receiving theoretical lessons on the growing of vegetables, and this ploture was taken at St. Arvans School, Mon., during class.

# Shanghai Letter

Hong Kong residents popular in Shanghai — Brigadier-General E. B. Macnaghten leaves for Home — National Anthems present problem at Mixed Social Functions.

Shanghai, April 8. With nothing on the minds of Shanghailanders but the municipal elections which are less than 48 hours off, social functions were bound to suffer. Everyone is concerned with the fate of the International Settlement which will become known on Thursday evening when the final count of votes will have been made. Never before in the history of this fair and prosperous city have municipal elections so taken the entire foreign population's attention. What the outcome will be, no one knows.

For the past two weeks, all residents have been canvassed by the election committees to ascertain whether or not they have a vote. Nearly everyone has and there is no doubt that all those with the physical ability to go to the Drill Hall of the S.V.C. on Wednesday and Thurs-

day, will be there. DIPLOMATIC TRANSFER

Shanghai Americans have lost Mr. C. E. Gauss, who has been made U.S. Minister to Australia, and Britons are not exactly pleased over the departure on Saturday of Mr. J. D. Greenway, First Secretary of H.M. Embassy, who has been transferred to Budapest. Mr. Greenway was very popular in Shanghai's international community and his loss comes as a blow to his legion of friends here, who feel that without him, the British community will not be the same any more.

HONG KONG VISITOR ... Mr. J. C. Williamson has arrived here from Hong Kong on a business trip and is being royally entertained by his friends. It is funny how popular Hong Kong residents are-in Shanghai these days. I don't mean to infer that they were not popular before, but since the war in Europe started, Hong Kong residents arriving here are the subject of keen curiosity and have to answer innumerable questions regarding wartime conditions prevailing there. Some people just can't understand why there are no black-outs nightly, while the Hong Kong people coming up here are exceedingly cross about the lack of light in the bathrooms of the ships. One of them told me the other day that when he came up about a fortnight ago, there was a small blue lamp in the bathroom and no other.

"Mark you," he added in order to impress me with his misfortune, "I' wouldn't have minded if there had been a port-hole in the bathroom

through which light could have filtered. But the funny thing is that you could have a 500 Watt lamp in that room if you wished and there isn't the possibility of it being seen outside. With this funny little lamp they have, one must be conversant with gymnastics if and when the bath is intended to be something from which one emerges cleaner than when one: jumped in."

He then proceeded to demonstrate how he had to place a chair in the bathtub on which he had to stand so that his hands would become more visible under the weak light. To take baths during the day, he added, helped in no way as the bathroom in question was entirely dependent upon artificial lightening.

Anyway, those who heard his "complaints" had a good time and so did he, because, after all, the very least thing one can do in this war is not to make a mountain out of a mole hill. Incidentally, the gentleman in question is on his way back to the Colony—another proof of the fact that things can't be so bad there after all, white lights or blue.

PHILANTHROPIST DEPARTS Brig.-Gen. E. B. Macnaghten, who is leaving for England soon to offer his services to his country, was the guest-of-honour at a tiffin held at the Zero Club on Wednesday. At the conclusion of the meal, when the time came to make a presentation to a departing friend, Mr. C. H. Haines, H.M. Registrar, who is this year's president of the club, handed the General a cheque . . . donations from members to the British War Fund . . . instead of the usual cigar box or tea set. Mr. Ranald G. McDonald, "dark horse" among the 13 candidates who are running for seats on the Council, was present, and was alluded-to though not by name, regarding the way in which he had offered himself for election after having been unsuccessful in the British straw-vote. Apart from this bitter drop in the proceedings, a good time was had by all, and were it at all necessary to demonstrate the esteem in which the departing General is held in Shanghai -or for that matter anywhere in the Far East - Wednesday's function would have been typical.

As will be recalled, General Macnaghten already left on retirement in England a little over a year ago. It appears, however, that the "Call of the East" was stronger than his desire for restfulness and retirement and great was the joy of the entire foreign community when he returned last year. He is a keen philanthropist and his name figures on the letter-heads of nearly all organizations catering to the needs of the poor. His departure too, is a great loss to the foreign community and to the men who were privileged in working under him in the British-American Tobacco Co., Ltd., of which he is a Director.

Outstanding last week, was the dinner given by the Hellenic Benevolent Society in honour of Mr. A. Politis, Greek Ambassador to Japan and China. The Society actually belies its reason for existence since it is more or less an organization of which all Greeks living here are members, thus closely linking them into one little but prosperous community. The function was held in the sumptuous Grill Room of the fourteenth floor of the Park Hotel.

NATIONAL ANTHEMS PROBLEM The problem of national anthems is a difficult one to all sponsors of charity performances, and shows in aid of the war funds of various natures. At the Polish affair last month, for instance, British, French and Polish diplomats were patrons, with the result that the three anthems had to be played. Not that anyone minded it . . . on the con-



Castleford's "Reight Neet Aht" is an event which is eagerly awaited by Yorkshire people, and many famous personalities attend. This year, the Finnish Vice-Consul, Mr. H. Klaer, took part in the marbles tournament despite his 72 years of age. He is shown at right practising for the tournament with his secretary. (Fox Photo, Copyright)...

trary each anthem was enthusiastically applauded as soon as the last note or two had been played, but the order of precedence somewhat worried the sponsors of the affair. The British Ambassador, they argued, was senior to the other two diplomats: On the other hand, the function was a Polish one and consequently maybe the Polish anthem should be played first, all the more so as two of the patrons, the British and French ambassadors were not present at the function—being in Chungking—while the Polish Charge d'Affaires was...

Finally the Polish anthem was played first followed by the French and British respectively. No one was offended, the only genuine difficulty having been that, as the Polish anthem is not generally known; many people did not get up immediately, believing that the piece was being played as an encore by the band of the Second Battalion, the East Surrey



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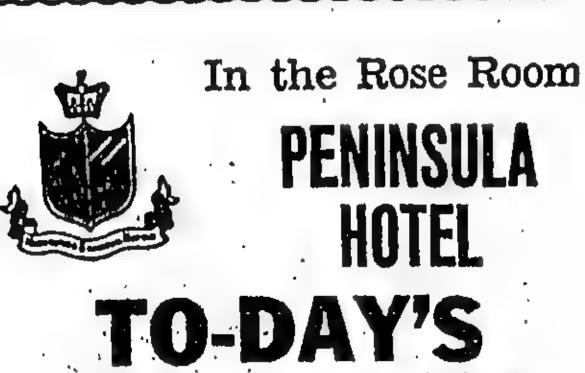
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AMBITION

"What were you doing sitting in my chair?" demanded the manager. "Only sort of getting used to it," said the office boy. "You know you told me it pays to be ambitious."

CLASSROOM CLASSIC.

Teacher: "Johnnie, did you want to leave the room?".

Johnnie: "Say, teacher, you don't think I'm standing here hitch-hikin', do'yuh?"

THE RAT

"Woman (telephoning to desk clerk): "There's a rat in my room." Hotel Clerk. "Make him come down and register." \* \*

SOMETHING WRONG

He: "Your dress is too short." - She: "I don't think so." He: "Then you must be in it too

HER LOOK-OUT . "Oh, doctor," said the young lady, "will the scar show?"

"That, madam," said the doctor. "is entirely up to you."



"Just for fun let's turn, him loose and see if we can catch him again."-American Legion, Chicago. THE CALLER

Patrolman Roy O. Watts of the ... Police accident prevention bureau answered the phone and said: "Accident Squad-Watts speak-

"It's a lady," was the reply.

BUCKSHOT

The Joneses were giving a dinner party and putting on the swank with a few delicacies, including caviar. Running short of the latter, the hostess appealed to her husband for advice.

"Shucks," said hubby, "mix in a little buckshot. No one will know the difference. People swallow that stuff whole anyway."

So the buckshot was added, and sure enough, no one knew the difference.

After dinner, the ladies adjourned to powder their noses. Later, one of them said to the hostess:

"My dear, I'm so sorry, but while we were upstairs I knocked your. perfume off your dressing table." "Think nothing of it," said the perfect hostess. "I didn't like the

stuff anyway." "Yes, but that isn't the worst of it," replied the guest. "When I leaned over to pick up the bottle I shot

the cat!"

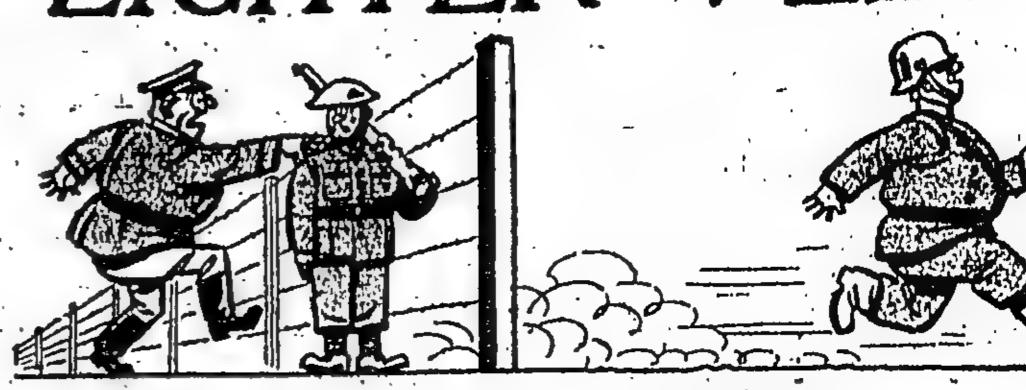
WHAT HE ATE Teacher: Johnnie, what did you

have for breakfast? Johnnie: Teacher, I et six eggs. Teacher: Why, Johnnie! You should say "ate.".

Johnnie: Well, maybe it was eight that I et.

REAPED

And then there was the grain of wheat, who woke up one afternoon and, finding herself in a loaf of bread, exclaimed: "My God, I've been reaped!"



IT'S QUITE OK, SIR --- HE GAVE THE PASSWORD" -The Humorist, London.

INGREDIENTS

A small boy was asked to write what he had been taught about the human body. This was the result: "Our body is divided into three parts, the branium, the borax and

the abominable cavity. "The branium contains the brains,

if any. "The borax contains the lungs,

liver, lights and heart. "The abdominal cavity contains the bowels, of which there are five,

a, e, i, o, and u."

WRONG ANSWER

"Why didn't I make a hundred on my history test, teacher?"

"You remember the question, 'Why did the pioneers go into the wilderness?'--Well, 'TO NECK' was the wrong answer."

NO. ONE INTERVENED

Employer: "Sam, I hear you and George almost had a fight."

Sam: "Yassah, boss, we all would a had a terrible fracas, only there wasn't nobody there to hold us apart."

NO BUSINESS OF HIS

"Winter draws on," said the Harvard man as he tucked Muriel into an old-fashioned New England sleigh.

"Is that any of your business?" asked Muriel coldly.

INNOCENT

"How old are you, Mary?" "Fifteen."

mother everything."

"I know it, but mother is so innocent really, I haven't the heart."

NO. ROSE

His teacher sent a note home with Johnny asking his mother to give him a bath. The next day Johnny

brought an answer: "Dear Miss Smith: When I send Johnny to school I send him to be learnt, and not to be smelt; he ain't no rose."

HIS MISTAKE

The fog was very thick; and the chief officer of the tramp steamer was peering over the side of the bridge. Suddenly he saw a man leaning over a rail only a few

yards away. "You confounded fool," he roared. "What on earth do you think you are doing? Don't you know my ship

has the right of way?" Out of the gloom came a sardonic

voice. . "This ain't no ship, Captain. This is a lighthouse."

TOO BUSY

A man was arrested in Los Angeles not long ago and charged with nudism and brought into court.

"How old are you?" questioned the judge. "Forty-five," 'admitted the ac-

cused. "Married?"

> "Yes." "How many children?"

"Twenty!". "Case dismissed. This man is no

nudist. He simply hasn't had time to dress."

LANGUAGE STUDY

A Frenchman was relating his experience in studying the English language. He said:-

"When I first discovered that if I was quick I was fast; if I spent too freely, I was fast; and that not to cat. was to fast, I was discouraged. But when I came across the sentence, 'The first one won one one-dollar prize," I gave up trying."

## LIVERISH

Customer: "I want some powder tokill cockroaches."

Clerk: "Will you take it with you?" Customer: "No, I'll have the cockroaches call and you can rub it on their little tummies."

HE GOT IN

A well-known and very influential journalist died. The angels took his soul to the gates of Heaven.

"Who is it?" asked St. Peter.

"A journalist."

"No room!" He slammed the gate. . "Perhaps - we'd better take him to Hell!" suggested one of the angels. However, the same thing happened at the gates of Hell.

"No room!" What was to be done with the poor journalist? Finally, the angels left him on a lonely planet. The next day a daily paper appeared, and within a week the journalist. had a press pass to Heaven and Hell.

MATTER OF PRIDE

A hard-up sportsman bought a hunter and put off payments for a time. When, a week or two later, he met the man who sold him the horse, he tried to shuffle out of the bargain.

"I am not satisfied with that.

animal," he said. "Why, what's the trouble?" ask-

ed the seller. "Well, it won't hold its head up," said the sportsman.

"Oh, that's all right, sir, it's his "A girl of 15 should tell her pride. Just you wait till he's paid

KEEP IT CLEAN

Cultured Husband: "Have you heard the sextette from Lucia?"

Uncultured Wife: "Now, John, nostories! You promised!"

NOTHING BIG ENOUGH

When the U.S. troops first entered the line during the Great War, an editor came into the case-room and demanded an extra large type for the headline announcing the news.

Type after type was produced; all, in the ardent editor's view, quiteinadequate for the occasion.

At length a phenomenally large type was produced by the printer. "Here you are," he said resignedly, "I was keeping this for the second Coming of the Lord, but you better have it."

NO CONFESSION

A coloured preacher was hearing the rather lengthy confession of a young fellow in his congregation. Stopping him at last he said: "Young man, you ain't confessin': you'se braggin'."



"Young man, you needn't stop with such a lolt."—The Calgary Eye-Opener, Minneapoils, Minn.



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St. John's Hall Music Club orchestra who recently played in the Great Hall of the University. (King's Studio).



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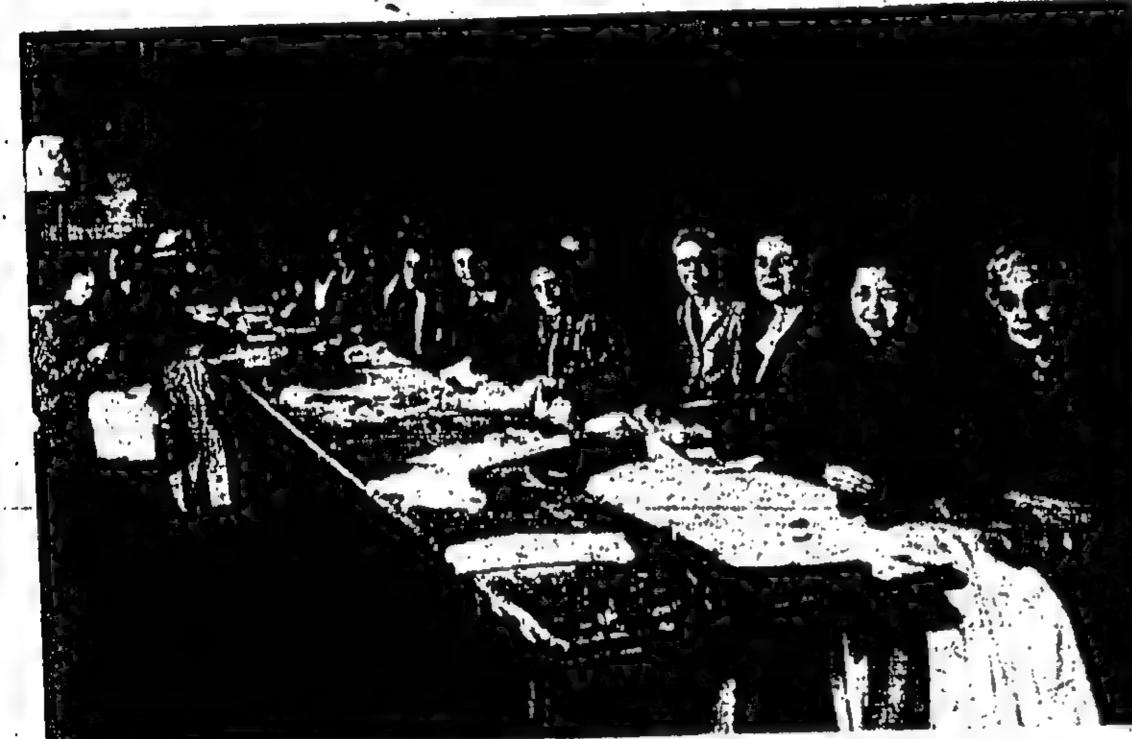


Mr. Liu Pak Kwan, and his bride, the former Miss Jor Jee Leung, whose marriage was recently reported. (King's Studio).

# WEDDINGS AND OTHER MATTERS



Mr. and Mrs. Chan Yee Kan, photographed after their marriage on April 10. The bride is the former Miss Yow Nam-fan. (King's Studio).



Government House Ladies' Working Party photographed at one of



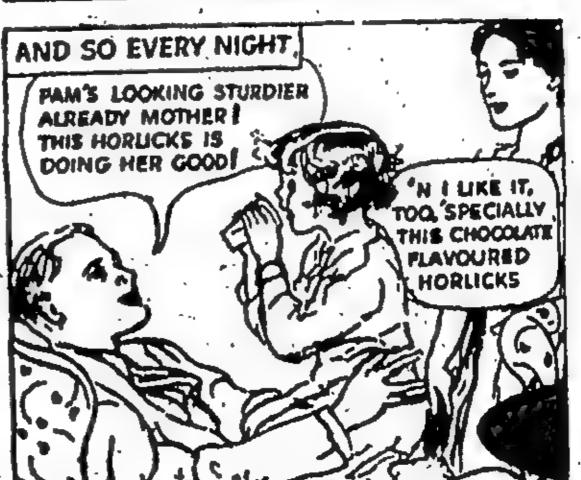
The teams of Recraio (left) and University (right) who met in last Saturday's Mixed Doubles Badminton Championship at Hong Kong University. Recraio won for the second time this season—Club de Recraio "A" the night previous winning the Mixed Doubles Division of the Badminton League, which title they lost to University last year. From left to right front row the players are, Miss O. Ribeiro, Miss M. Silva, Miss M. Ribeiro, Miss Ulian Khoo, Miss K. J. Hung, and Miss Uheng Khoo. Back row, J. J. Remedios, M. A. Oliveira, H. F. Gonsalves, P. K. Hui, K. L. Yong and P. S. Bun. (Kahn).

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CIRCULA

Crack Train Leaps To

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New York, Yesterday. Five were killed and 20 injured when a New York express train left the rails late last night.

Disaster

The wreckage of the engine was hurled onto the adjoining main road. while nine out of 18 cars were wreck-

### Midnight Crash

The express, named the Lake Shore Limited, jumped the lines near Little Falls. The wreckage of the locomotive blocked motor traffic.

The express, which was on the way to Chicago from New York, cracked at about midnight. Witnesses describe how Pullman cars turned into sleepers collapsed

like accordeons. Several cars hung precariously over the edge of a canal which runs parallel to the track.

down, hindering the call for help. -Reuter. Crash And Explosion

Haves adds that 10 were killed and 50 injured.

When the engine jumped the trails it dragged nine of 15 coaches with it and continued rolling at full speed for a few minutes until it crashed into an embankment and exploded.

Three hundred passengers were on the train.

### 130 Casualties

New York, Later. Latest figures of casualties in the rail smash are at least 30 killed and 100 injured.

The theory of investigators is that the train jumped the rails while rounding a curve at high speed.-

## **CRASH** HOLLAND

The Hague, Yesterday. A German bomber made a forced landing to-day near Maatstricht after being fired on by Dutch anti-aircraft guns.

An enquiry is to be opened to establish whether the plane was hit by Dutch guns or damaged in an air fight outside the Dutch frontier. It is reported that a German licutenant was killed and the four other occupants of the plane seriously injured. — Reuter.

## **EXPLOSIONS OFF** GOTEBURG

[SPECIAL TO "SUNDAY HERALD"] Stockholm, Yesterday. Violent explosions were heard off-Goteburg during the night and number of ships including a largesized naval unit were detected. Coast watchers also saw three

transports proceeding north. explanation of the explosions forthcoming.—Havas.

### BRITAIN READY TO TALK WITH SOVIET

London, Yesterday. It was announced in London to-day that the Foreign Secretary, Lord Hallfax, yesterday received the Soviet Ambassador, M. Ivan Maisky. Lord Halifax told the Russian envoy that Britain was prepared to explore the possibilities of a trade Reuter.

## AGREEMENT WITH

agreement which would take into

account the war situation. - Reuter.

ITALY TO BE SOUGHT Paris, Yesterday.

The Premier, M. Paul Reynaud, wegian Coast, according to the Paris to-day told the foreign affairs com- Radio. mittee of the Senate that France will continue to seek a solution of all questions with Italy, in the hope of reaching a Mediterranean entente. -- Reuter.

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Duce Cries: Greatness Needs Space



This extraordinary exclusive picture was secured on April 9 in the Thames Estuary, which is protected from enemy raiders by the balloon barrage system. At first glance it would appear to be another "Loch Ness" monster taking a peep above the water, but actually it is one of the balloons, which owing to mishap, descended onto the water and was partially submerged. (Air Mail).

NORWAY

THE FIRST OFFICIAL FRENCH reference to their

It says French troops have already landed and are

Meanwhile it is still difficult to obtain a clear picture of

British and Norwegian troops are known to be in contact

all over the north. Fighting is still going on for Nar-

vik but the main offensive against the German posi-

taking part in the operations.

the situation in Norway.

Between Narvik and Trondhelm

the Germans have not yet establish-

ed positions, and a major Allied ex-

pedition is being prepared against

The Germans are said to be closing

Norwegian tactics in destroying

bridges and communications, says a

German communique, "only causes

hardships to the Norwegians them-

selves," and tells Norwegians that

their hostile attitude is the cause of

Complaints by Norwegians who

have been forced to drive German

soldiers in commandeered cars

that they were taken to the firing

line is met by the highly original

explanation that "it is not the fault

of the Germans but of the popula-

tion of Norway who fire on Gor-

If they did not take this attitude,

Landings Continue

[SPECIAL TO "BUNDAY HERALD"]

Allied troops continue to disem-

At Namson an engagement went

In favour of the British, who re-

pulsed the Germans. 📜

tark at various points on the Nor-

Paris, Yesterday.

there would be no dangeri" --

the stricter German attitude.

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share in the expeditionary force to Narway is

contained in this morning's official war com-

# FITALY HAS

(SPECIAL TO "SUNDAY HERALD")

ROME, YESTERDAY. A MOST SIGNIFICANT OFFICIALLY INSPIRED ARTICLE ENTITLED "HOUR OF DESTINY" IS PUBLISHED IN "POPOLO D'ITALIA," THE NEWS-

Dealing with the alleged Anglo-

"The Democracies Rulter the Ita

"The answer to the policy of force

peace, but we sharply reject this

GARIBALD

MEMORY

Italy to-day is com-

memorating the memory of

members of the Garibaldi

forces who died defending

A correspondent in the "Daily

Telegraph" recalls that when Gari-

people of Newcastle presented him

with a sword, and in his letter

acknowledging the gift, the great

ful nation, foremost in human

progress, enemy to despotism,

the only safe refuge in exite and

Garibaldi added that if England

ever wanted an ally it would be Ita-

lians who would step forward to her

a friend of the oppressed."

"England is a great and power-

Rome in 1848.

defence .-- Router.

London, Yesterday.

Europe is force."-Reuter.

praising Rome's policy of

PAPER FOUNDED BY MUSSOLINI. The article unequivocally urges the Government to take immediate action since italy cannot be idle without descending to the status of a pacifist pupple receiving blows from all sides!"

## PULLING NO PUNCHES!

London, Vesterday. The "Daily Express" comcaustically ments ' morning on Hitler's 51st birthday.

"Fifty-one" years, with this mornslapped the break that a being exceptional sacrifices "in order not whose harsh tones diversince trans- to remain prisoners in the Mediter-

family in the tiny wilings of Brhungu thun Italy.

when the injury light of a saw the The article concludes 'Greatness There are will be soy needs spaces There are in transfer will be for needs spaces There are in transfer will be for needs spaces There are in transfer will be for needs spaces There are in transfer will be for needs spaces There are in transfer will be for needs spaces. Hitler finally, goes down into the oceans." darkness." - Habas.

Bitterly attacking the Allied blockade, the article states: "A great people like the Italians, who are at the centre of world history, cannot yield to supervision and control in their own house. "We are forbidden to go from Massawa to Trieste, that is from Italy to Italy, without being submitted to the vexations of the blockade, which is a blow to our pride and independence and upsets the transport of perish-

Recalling the words of Mussolini and a very serious blow to the ing," it says; "armustrian midwife that the Italian people are capable of prestige of the Western Powers. French attempt to drap neutrals rancan," the newspaper asserts that into the conflict, it says the Italian "There was joy among the small Portugal is actually a freer country people has no lituations and will not-

able commodities."

throughout the civilised world when people without openings to the Histilianiciary la schleved

### Part Of Campaign?.

In Paris, French political circles ire of opinion that the article is a continuation of the Italian press' 'campaign "aiming at 'giving ratisfaction to Nazi expectations that Italy will compel the Allies to bring larger naval forces to the Mediterranean, thereby relieving Germany from the pressure of Allied naval forces in the North Sea.

Nevertheless, French quarters are kneping a watchful attitude, pointing out that the article contains two main points.

Firstly, Italy cannot remain a non belligerent till the end of the war. Secondly, Italy must have access to the ocean

## **Determining Factor**

baldi visited England in 1854, the Meanwhile, the feeling prevails in Paris that the situation in the Balkans will be the factor determining the Italian attitude, and apparently Italian liberator said: Rome's latest pre-occupation is the recent Soviet-Yugo-Slav rapprochement, meaning the progress of Pan-Slavism at Italy's very doors. -

## **Hour Of Intervention**

The article is well peppered wit references to swords, blood and such

"The Genius," says the paper, who so far has eaved his country from a European war may yet choose the day and hour of inter-The paper reminds the Italian

people that they cannot look on while events are altering the map

### "Will Never Forgive" [SPECIAL TO "SUNDAY HERALD"]

Rome. Yesterday. Continuing the daily outbursts against the Ailles, the newspaper "Regime Faschta" asserts that Italy has never forgiven and will never forgive the Sanctions against Italy voted by the League of Nations in October, 1985; under Anglos French

there was sharp fighting near Shar- will 'never forgive, such a thing. Italian interests compel us to side with our allies."-Hovas.

## A Card To Play

Rome, Yesterday. The Italian semi-official review way in terms flattering to the Germans but which make Italy's attitude no clearer.

The journal says: "Italy has a card that will be played. Italy's will lies It is officially stated that an ex- only in Italy's arms." - Reuter. - ... The review describes the position in Norway as a success for Germany

## Arms Factory Blast

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London, Yesterday. The Ministry of Supply announces that an explosion occurred this morning in a munitions factory in north London in which five men were killed and a number

injured. Steps have been taken to ensure the speedy resumption of production In the units affected. A court of enquiry has been appointed:

The explosion shook houses even a wide area, and windows were shattered a mile away. Ambulances promptly dashed to the factory, while relatives crowded

A man working near said: "I saw huge mass of grey smoke in the shape of a balloon, with the end inpering over the factory grounds. The concussion was terrific."

### Not Sabotage

Sabotage is not suspected as the cause of the explosion, which is considered to have been due to m mechanical defect.

The Ministry of Supply states, the explosion occurred at 9 a.m. in the mixing house, in which three menwere engaged. The building was destroyed . and " fod blaing buildings

Nan in wher Evotions of the Vactory continues their mork without Interruption.

### Repairs Begun! Reconstruction of the destroyed

building and repairs to other buildings-have-started-and-it is expectedthat work in the section affected will be resumed shortly. Employment will not be seriously affected. Of 15 men injured, two have been

detained in hospital suffering from slight injuries and shock. Contrary to first reports, none of the men was seriously injured,-Reuter.

### DEMAND FOR **RECOUNT!**

London, Yesterday. A German broadcast to America says that thousands had gathered outside the Chancellery in Berlin to congratulate. Hitler on his birthday. An American commentator, broadcasting from Berlin, says he only saw 75 people in the Square before the Chancellery. - Reuter.

## OHIO IN FLOOD

five inches an hour.-Reuter.

New York, Vesterday. Hundreds of Americans have been. driven out of their houses by the flooding of the Ohio River, which insome places is rising at the rate of

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## tions has not yet started. FRENCH GRATIFIED

London, Yesterday.

Paris, Yesterday. Great enthusiasm has

been aroused in France by the official news that French troops have landed in Norway and there is general satisfaction that the French war. will be fighting with the British and Norwegians.

In well-informed military circles in Paris, it is stated that the landing of French troops shows that the Allies are moving quickly, acting effectively and keeping their promises to Norway.

The plan; of operations is clearly being carried out to schedule in good conditions.

The authorities here refuse give any information about points of the French landing or the effectives concerned and frankly air battles, one German machine was state that it is essential to keep the shot down and one made a forced to-day discusses the situation in Nor-Germans as much in the dark as possible. - Reuter.

troops have been sent there, hat events at Narvik is that British -- Havan

# TRADE

Tokyo, Yesterday. The Pearl River has been

opened to general foreign trade to-day, as announced by the Japanese military and naval authorities in South China in a joint statement on April 12. According to this statement

to Canton on and after April 20 by the Japanese military and naval forces in South China as far as military operations will not be hampered."-Reuter.

## Lively Day in

Paris, Yesterday. The Western Front has of the Continent.—Havas. had its liveliest day since the first few weeks of the

German engineers engaged in constructing new defence works were heavily shelled, East of the Moselle a German force nearly a battalion strong launched a determined attack, but were turned back.

Sharp clashes between patrole occurred all sions the line, and . It adds: "The Fascist generation brucken and Zwelbrucken, Improved weather conditions en-

livened air activity and reconnaissance machines, accompanied by fighters, were busy on both sides. In descent owing to engine trouble. Last night; Germa ) planes flew to the region of Paris -- Haves.

Berne, Yesterday. The latest Nazi version of the aid Norway but to threaten Sweden, tensive spy plot is gradually being , uncovered in Switterland; Reuter.

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which would have been the despair of women of a similar appearance forty years ago.

There is therefore no reason for so many women to use the wrong shade of face-powder, or to apply in the wrong manner. Some women have not outgrown the ideas of the last century, when powders and rouges were regarded as social blemishes. Then, a pink or white powder was used indiscriminately on complexions of all shades, though not one in a hundred had either a pink or a white skineither then or now.

Although so many millions of women use a puff, the technique of powdering is not yet understood. A heavy film of "dust" on the face of a young girl is an insult to nature. When an older woman powders too thickly over a claying vanishing cream she makes her complexion look like what the beauty specialists nickname "pudding". This coarsens and ages, while the right powder would refine and re-Juvenate.

Be guided in your choice of powder by two factors - age and natural colouring. If the hair has been tinted or dyed your skin is unchanged, and powder must be blended with the original hair shade under consideration. The various shades, though so delicate and nearly allke, have a remarkable effect on the colour and finish of the face.

One of the new colours I have seen was prepared particularly for a middle-aged skin. It combined warm tin's with a creamy beige and, without obtruding, gave a

young, fresh finish. The average woman, the brownhalred and pale-complexioned type, should look among the peach powders to improve her make-up. The best qualities have less yellow than the usual rachel and not quite as much pink as naturelle. Some of the new peach colours are meant to suggest outdoor coolness and

beauty. Do not be too conservative about colours in powder. There are revised shades of mauve for adding justre to olive skins, and some that improve a pale, greasy one. A difficult brownish complexion or a too florid type will often respond happily to certain light-green powder, and I have seen the olive skin-of a blonde look almost pearly from

a louch of perfect cream powder. There are two rules of the powder-pufft. Use a swansdown material for the face, and powder with the lightest movements.

The using of the puff should be the final signature, preferably after you are dressed, and its direction should follow the direction of mossage, from the nose outwards, chin outwards and along the brow. When you have finished powdering go over the face and neck with an uncharged puff to take off the unpardonable "powdered" look.

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Here is a delightful 1940 hat compared with the large hat worn over twenty five years ago.

At left;-

MORE

GOWNS

The latest war-time fashlons made from wool, compared with fashlone seen during the last war will be seen at the forthcoming Wool Gain to be held in collaboration with the International Wool Secretariat. Photo shows the 1940 slacks, quite a favourite with the modern girl, compared with the outdoor dress and hat seen at the beginning of the



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Fine white cotton net is used in masses by Alix for a very fullgathered skirt that foams into short-trained length. The rucked corsage is squared with full puffed short sleeves and narrow rosered ribbon velvet makes simple walst-belt with bow tie and streamers hanging at back as far as hem, which is edged by a similar single-inch wide band of the

ribbon velvet.

work figures effectively on front and sleeves of this Heim dress, one of the typical youthful atyles in organza and fallle that Paris fashion has produced.

The joriginal model was in ginghum checked faille — red on white - with white organza trimming neck and sleeves. The stitching is in red and accentuates the line of corsage and close fitting front of skirt

Imitation ruby buttons and narrow kid belt also stress the red. Gowns designed by Helm have that excellent quality of looking young but yet grown up, with high bodice fittings or shirt waist tops fitted into waists. Red and white small gingham checked faille with bodice fitting makes - contrast in stiff fabrics next cotton net, jersey and the new woollen tulle. Sleeves are either long of shirtwaist and bishop east caught into cuffs or

they are puffed out to elbow length. Honeycomb motifs appear in both types of corsage—across shoulders, down either side centre front, beneath waistlines of skirts sometimes at back as well as front. Added to these features is the gentle rustle of taffeta petileoats in movement.

## Modified Skirt Lengths RNEE-LENGTH skirts shown in

the Paris collections are to be modified by London dressmakers, who promise to adjust the length rather than to adhere slavishly to the Paris decree that skirts should be twenty inches from the ground. Norman Hartnell, the Queen's dressmaker, fixes skirt lengths at seventeen inches, but says that he will vary this according to women's height. Hartnell is following his usual procedure of preserving strict secrecy regarding the Queen's new wardrobe, but it is understood that her spring dresses will be appreciably shorter.



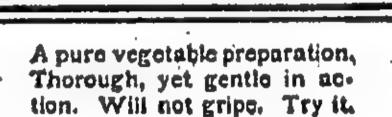
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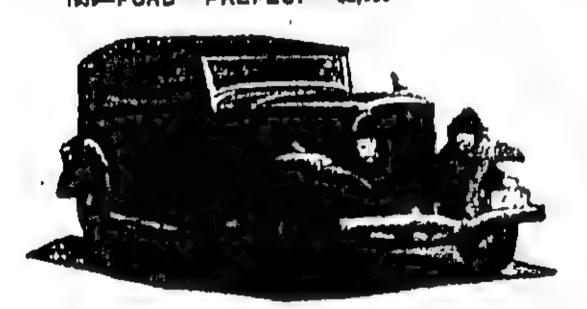
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## LUDICROUS HALLUCINATIONS

LONDON, YESTERDAY. "THE TIMES" THIS MORNING DEALS AT LENGTH WITH THE ATTITUDE OF THE ITALIAN PRESS.

"The hallucinations of the Italian press during the last fortnight have made them — with the exception of the Vatican newspaper and two or three other publications — appear ludicrous in their presentation of news and contemptible in their expression of views before the whole world — and also presumably in the eyes of their own readers, for the Italians are a particularly intelligent race.

"In any case, it is significant that the circulation of the Vatican organ, which still respects the truth, has recently risen by leaps and

"Until the Brenner meeting of a two Dictators last month, the the two Dictators last month, the press as a whole gave news more or less objectively, although with a slight blas, due, no doubt, from a non-belligerent to its belligerent ally.

"After the meeting on the Italo-German mountain frontier, however, Signor Mussolini's announcement or April 7 that 'events which we see have grandiose proportions,' all records for truth have also disappeared from the pages of Italian journals-always with certain honourable exceptions.

### **Created Grandiosity**

curred they clearly had to be created on paper. And Germany did her best to provide material immediately after the Duce had spoken.

"She invaded an unoffending, unruspicious and unarmed neighbour and tried to seize the territory of a second.

"This herole act sent the Roman newspapers into transports of enthusinsm.

"It is well known that Italian papera, like their German colleagues, are in the unhappy position of having to publish what their masters order them to publish; and their masters at this moment obviously have urgent need of making German power invincible.

### Painful Disillusionment

The course of the campaign has already brought some painful dis-Illusionment to their wishful writ-

"Even Italian newspaper readers must know by now that eight farge German destroyers were eent into Narvik Fjord by Admiral Raeder, and were there pur- Danes and Norwegians from seizure sued and destroyed by the British of their property by the Germans.-

"They must have learned from cording to a Swedish report about troyed many aeroplanes and some 30-larger or smaller transports tor- | hangars. pedoed.

(SPECIAL TO "SUNDAY HERALD")

London, Yesterday. "The Italian Press is not reporting Allied victories off all objectivity disappeared and after Norway because there have not been any!" says the "Giornale d'Italia," which goes on to speak about an alleged "campaign by the British Press against Italy."

The paper calls this "nn unwise move," the more so because this cumpaign alleges signs of menace in "If grandiose events have not oc- the Balkans. This menace, says the paper, is absolutely non-existent.

The British Press attacks the Ita-Hon press, says the "Giornale d'Italia" because it reports German victories on the Norwegian Coast and does not give details of the French and British successes.

"The truth is that we cannot he brought to task on this account, because such Ailled victories do not happen to exist,"

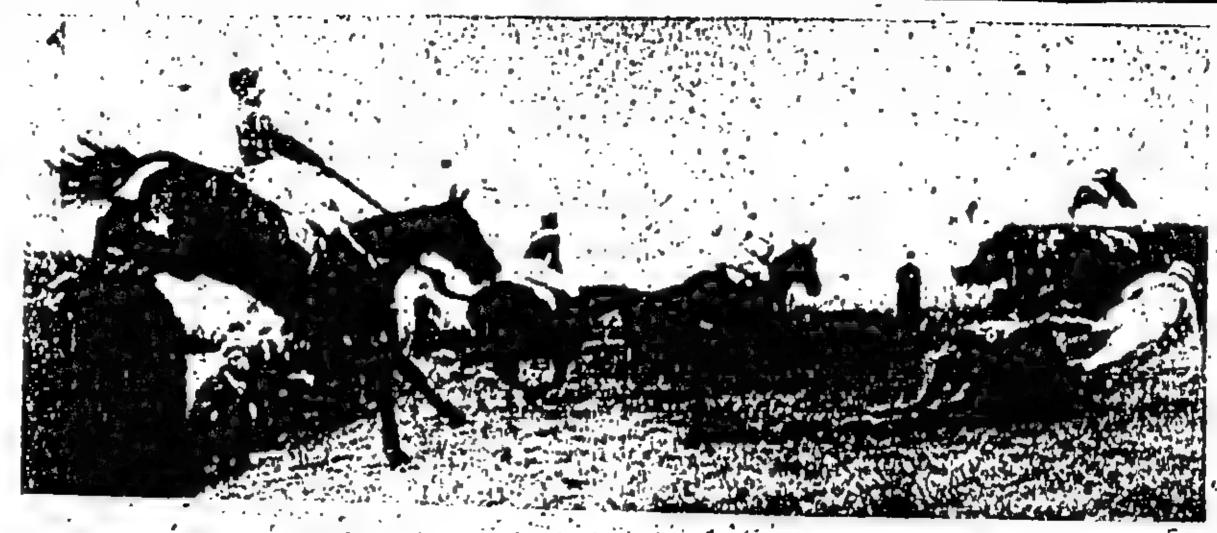
says the paper. Contrary to what is said in the Allied press, the Italian press always publishes the French and British communiques. In so doing, Italy continues to serve the truth and the cause of understanding, just as she nlways served to the utmost of her power the cause of peace.-Havas.

### SCANDINAVIAN **FUNDS CONTROLLED**

New York, Yesterday. The transfer of stocks on behalf of Norwegians and Danes is now forbidden without Treasury license. The move is designed to protect

the Vatican newspaper and their the Germans at Narvik and three own trustworthy broadcasts that one were damaged by the R.A.F., while big German warship was sunk, two the Fleet Air Arm have been busy others damaged, three cruisers sent all the time and have dropped bombs to the sen bottom, some more sub- on other German warships, knockmarines destroyed and many-ac- ed about two aerodromes and des-

dition to those now abandoned by Reuter.





## Nazi Smokescreen Amuses London

London, Yesterday.

After announcing through the Ita-

prisoners near Narvik, an invention

described as "fanlastic" by the War

Office, the Germans late last night

excelled themselves in broadcasting

both from the Deutschlandsender and

from the new German-controlled

Oslo wireless station that British

troops landing at Harstadt were

bombed by German planes, a wharf

hit and a British battleship had re-

They added that in the after-

noon German fighter units had

bombed British transports off the

Norwegian coast and registered a

full hit of the heaviest calibre on

FORMIDABLE LIST

Authoritative circles in London

emphasise that they have had no

confirmation whatever of these lat-

est claims, and add that the public

that since March 16 the Germans had

already falsely claimed to have either

sunk or put out of action nine battle-

ships, three battle-cruisers, two air-

craft-carriers, seven heavy crulsers,

six light cruisers; 13 destroyers, eight

The truth, of course, is exactly as

announced, namely that since the

outbreak of hostilities in Scandinavie,

Britain has only lost four destroyers

and one submarine, and suffered

damage to one destroyer (late yes-

London is wondering what Dr

Coebbels will do once he has sunk

the entire British Navy—on paper—

and what gratitude German sailors

will feel towards him when they

meet "sunken" ships of the Allied Fleet, whose aim will prove as ac-

THE WAR IN

CHINA

Chungking, Yesterday.

curate as its reports.—Reuter.

River, in south Shansi.

River crossing.

Nantaun.

column launched an attack on Thurs-

day in the direction of the Yellow

One Japanese plane is claimed

to have been shot down by anti-

aircraft fire. The crew were killed;

the plane crashed in flames near

submarines and one transport!

terday afternoon).

will be well advised to remember

a large troop transport.

ceived a direct hit.

AUTHORITATIVE CIRCLES in London early this morning expressed renewed amusement, though no surprise, at the latest efforts of the German propaganda land. machine to veil their own losses behind a smokescreen of imaginary claims of naval and land victories over the Allies in Norway.

## BELGIAN AIRMAN ARRESTED

Brussols, Yesterday. A former Beigian airman and his wife have been arrested on charges of obtaining information for a foreign State and recruiting agents for this service, to watch troop concentrations on certain frontiers of Beiglum.

A number of agents who had been in touch with the officer and his wife have also been arrested.-Reuter.

S'ockholm, Yesterday. Swedish anti-aircraft batteries "The colossal flasco does not seem have again fired on German planes "One destroyer was sunk in ad- to have been on Britain's side."- which were flying over Sweden at several places. - Reuter.

First plotures of the Grand National. Above, the scene at Bechers Brook the second time round showing Red Freeman failing. On the left, Bogakar, ridden by M. A. Jones, sergeant in the R.A.F., passing the 'post a grand winner. The rideriess horse is National Night, whose jockey was thrown during the first circuit of the course. (Copyright. By Air Mail).

## NARVIK PICTURE SCOOP

London, Yesterday. "The Times" this morning publishes a page of exclusive pictures of the naval battle in Narvik Fjord last Satur-

One of the pictures, taken from a British destroyer, shows the buttleship H.M.S. Warspie and two destroyers at the entrance of the Fjord after the battle.

Another shows Warspite in the drive against enemy agents. Flord, and both pictures have

fire in another photograph, A column of thick black smoke is

rising hundreds of feet into the air from the doomed vessel. . Most interesting picture is, one lian press that 6,000 British troops which has a strange history. It

had been killed, wounded and taken shows German troops landing from a destroyer. This particular photo was found

boarded her after the battle .-- Rou-

## AIR POWER ILLUSION

[SPECIAL TO "SUNDAY HERALD"]

Rome, Yesterday. Articles in most of the Italian newspapers by military correspondents insist on the exceptional strength and up-to-dateness of the REASONS Italian air force, which, they say, is capable of dealing a mortal blow to the Allies in the Mediterranean.

"Popolo d'Italia" stresses the paramount important of aviation in the Scandinavian war, and says: "The war in the North Sea has shown that the sea power of any nation is represented not only by naval tonnage | 50N8. but by the whole naval and air forces as well as by the strategic value and number of naval bases and airports. "Italy in the Mediterranean is one unique immense aircraft-carrier."—

## STATUS OF D.E.I.

[SPECIAL TO "SUNDAY HERALD"]

Chungking, Yesterday. Local political circles regard the American statement on the Dutch Heavy fighting is said to East Indies as Indication of the United States' firmer stand in the be in progress in the area Pacific and determination not to als north of Maotsintu, on the low Japan to take advantage of the north bank of the Yellow European conflict to extend her action towards the South Seas.

It is generally felt that concern Assisted by artillery and aerial over America's eventual reactions is Harriman added. — Havas. bombardment a strong Japanese likely to check any Japanese inclination to carry out a Southward expansion.—Havas.

## ACCORD DENIED

[SPECIAL TO "SUNDAY HERALD"] Bucharest, Yesterday. The Rumanian authorities cate-In the Nanchang area fighting is gorically deny the news, based on continuing in the vicinity of Wang- reports from Rome, that an accord news agency. shoukung and Sishan, points west of has been reached between Russia the Kiangsi capital, where heavy and Rumania resulting in the with-Japanese reinforcements are said to drawal of troops from their respecmetres.--Havas.

## THOUSANDS IN BELGIUM ARE INTERNED

London, Yesterday. EIGHT COUNTRIES HAVE now completed special police and military precautions against the "fifth column" -the enemy from within.

They are Belgium, Holland, Sweden, Yugo-Slavia, Rumania, Turkey, Switzerland and Australia.

In Belgium thousands have been interned and a new concentration camp opened near Brussels.

The Sureta personnel has been increased, guards placed at strategic cen res, regulations tightened up to prevent undesirables slipping into the country, and fresh lists of foreigners drawn up consisting of various categories from those allowed complete liberty to those to be expelled or imprisoned.

In Sweden, a plan is being prepared to warn the population by telephone of an emergency. As one in every six inhabitants owns a telephone, a warning can be spread quickly all over the coun-

INTERNAL ACTIVITIES In Belgrade, an official announcement by the Yugo-Slav Government on the arrest of Milan Stoyadinovi ch, ex-Premier and Foreign Minister, says materials were found in his residence which proved he was carrying out activities which were not permitted and therefore he was "placed in a condition of computerry residence."

It is emphasised the documents found only concerned internal activi les.—Reuter.

### Many Arrests Made In **Switzerland**

Berne, Yesterday. The Swiss authorities have already made a number of arrests in the

One of those arrested is a lieutenbackground of grim snow-covered ant-colonel working in the War Ministry. The communique A German destroyer is shown on nouncing his arrest merely says he was spying for a certain foreign DAILY "HANKOW HERALD:"

> Since the highest peace-time rank in the Swiss army is that of colonel, the case is described as of the first magnitude.

Three alteged Communists have dugout, been arrested, while in the canton in a roll of film in the cabin of a of Geneva all special courses for our readers and friends will surely German destroyer when the British students from Germany have been cancelled until further notice,-Reu-

### HALF BELGIUM'S **BUDGET FOR DEFENCE**

Brussels, Yesterday. The Premier, M. Plerlot, in a speech declared that £70,000,000 or nearly half the Budget - would be spent this year on military preparations.

This rendered new taxation inevitable, he added. Belgians would have one meatless day a week, M. Pierlot said.-Reuter.

## DOMESTIC

[SPECIAL TO "SUNDAY HERALD"] AMSTERDAM, YESTERDAY. STATE THE SIEGE PROCLAIMED IN HOLLAND DOES NOT NECES. BARILY INDICATE AN AGGRA-VATION OF THE FOREIGN BITU-ATION BUT RATHER THAT IT IS frigerators .-- Havas. NECESSARY FOR DOMESTIC REA-

Extraneous parties controlled from abroad are expected to be dissolved. A state of siege was declared on November 13 in the frontler regions and some ports and again during April, when it was extended to several other districts.—Havas.

## NORWEGIAN NEEDS

[SPECIAL TO "BUNDAY HERALD"] Stockholm, Yesterday. A survey carried out by Red Cross | characters "Fel min," or "good-forworkers shows that the Norwegian nothing," civilian population urgently needs food, clothing and fuel oil for transportation, Mrs. Harriman, United States Minister to Oslo, told the correspondent of the "Dagens Nyheter." Help: is being organised but the task will be a difficult one, Mrs.

### **RUSSIA GIVES NEW** TWIST TO STORY

[SPECIAL TO "SUNDAY HERALD"] Moscow, Yesterday. sia is seeking to conclude a trade agreement with Japan are categori-

# GERMANS

(SPECIAL TO "SUNDAY HERALD")

Istanbul, Yesterday. A list of undesirable foreigners, including 60 Garmans, nas been compiled by the Turkish police and sent to Ankara where the necessary measures will be

The list comprises not only persons whose activities are politically suspicious but also those who have no definite occupations and do not possess an income in accordance with their standard of ilving,—Havas,

## BOMB-MINDED CHUNGKING

CHUNGKING, YESTERDAY. INDICATION OF CHUNGKING'S AIR-MINDEDNESS IS SEEN IN AN ANNOUNCEMENT IN THE LOCAL ENGLISH - LANGUAGE

"We beg to announce that beginning from next Monday, April 22, the "Hankow Herald" will suspend publication for a fortnight in order to have its machinery moved into a "This precautionary measure, as

agree, is absolutely necessary in view of the approaching bombing season. After publishing the paper for a year withou! any protection, we feel we cannot afford to run any more risks." - Reuter.

## THE MHALE

[SPECIAL TO "SUNDAY HERALD"] TOKYO, YESTERDAY. LARGE-SCALE EXPERIMENTS IN FEEDING HUMANS ON WHALE MEAT ARE BEING CONDUCTED BY MANY JAPANESE CITIES WHERE BUTCHER SHOPS SELL THE MEAT AT PRICES FROM 30 TO 35 SEN PER LB.

First experiments on a restricted scale started in 1938. It is generally believed that whale meat dishes will AUTHORITATIVE CIRCLES become popular under the present war-time conditions.

A large ship returned to Kobe from the Antarctic recently bringing a large stock of whale ment in its re-

## **JACKETS** HIRE!

ESPECIAL TO "RUNDAY HERALD" TIENTSIN, YESTERDAY. A NEW RULE AIMING AT THE

ELIMINATION OF OPIUM SMOK-ING AND IMPOSING A HEAVY LOSS OF FACE UPON ADDICTS HAS BEEN ANNOUNCED BY THE MAYOR OF GREATER TIENTSIN. No customer will be allowed to enter an opium den unices he wears a lacket prominently displaying the

Jackets can be rented from the owners of dens.—Havas.

## CHILDREN SLAVES!

[SPECIAL TO "SUNDAY HERALD"]

BERNE, YESTERDAY. POLISH BOYS AND GIRLS OF 14 AND 15 WILL BE SENT TO WORK IN GERMANY IN AGRI-CULTURAL CAMPS, THE OF-Japanese press reports that Rus- FICIAL ORGAN OF THE NAZI LA-BOUR 'SERVICE ANNOUNCES,

Up to the present only youths over cally denied by Tass, the Russian 18 have been sent from Poland to Germany, but the official German or-The agency points out that it is gan declares this limit will not per-Japan which is seeking such an init the recruiting of a million workagreement owing to her difficult ers indispensable for carrying out be taking part in the operations.-- live frontiers a distance of 10 kilo- posi ion on the Asiatic mainland. --- agricultural and industrial work behind the lines.--Havas

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## DRIVING HITLER ON

German Invasions At Many Points Foreshadowed

## Close Watch On A Mussolini

(SPECIAL TO "SUNDAY HERALD") LONDON, YESTERDAY.

POLITICAL CIRCLES FEEL THAT HITLER, SEEING THE INEVITABILITY OF A LENGTHY WAR, MAY SHORTLY MAKE A DESPERATE AT-TEMPT TO INVADE SEVERAL REGIONS IN EUROPE, WHICH WAS THE CAUSE OF THE DUTCH PRECAUTIONS.

It is reliably reported that several German divisions have been concentrated on the Hungarian border.

German action against Hungary would most likely immediately unleash Italian action in the Balkans, and the Italian Government seems to be preparing public opinion for the country's ··· entry into the war.

Meanwhile, diplomatic quarters; are of opinion that the latest diplomatic contacts with Italy give little hope of appeasement.

Observers here emphasise the duals, - Havas, Allied intention to extend their help to any country bordering the Mediterranean Basin if attacked.—Havas.

### **Dutch Action**

Amsterdam, Yesterday. Following the proclamation of a state of siege in Holland the police have compelled the Dutch Nazi party to cancel several public meetings in different cities.

The police seized a speech delivered yesterday by the Nazi leader, Mussert, and its publication has been forbidden in all newspapers or pamphlets.

### State Of Siege

Aside from the concentration camps already created in Holland for Zeeland.

It is expected that the police will institute strict control over Outch citizens travelling abroad. Under the state of siege the mili-It is expected that the British tary authorities are empowered to Ambanador to Rome will approach forbid all meetings, to apply a postal the Italian Government to obtain | censorship, make searches 'everydefinite indications of Italian in- where and confiscate any arms and munitions held by private indivi-



A picture just received of Field-Marshal Hermann Goering, in conversation with Major-General Jeschonnek, Chief of Staff. (Alr

# BOMBING OF NORWEGIAN

### HUNGARIAN DECREE **POWERS**

[SPECIAL TO "SUNDAY HERALD"] Budapest, Yesterday.

The Hungarian Chamber of De-Illegal immigrants from the Reich, putles yesterday voted a four-month the authorities have prepared new extension of the extraordinary internment camps at Westerbock, in powers which the Government has Drente province, and at Duluse, in held since the beginning of the war.

VILLAGE: SEEKING OUT KING London, Yesterday.

IN A BROADCAST, a Norwegian official who has banished. just arrived from Norway described a German air attack on King Haakon when he and members of the Government and entourage were gathered in a small village for their simple meal towards evening.

The alarm was suddenly sounded and they hurried for the woods. King Haakon was about 15 yards in front of the speaker when the 'planes opened machine-gun fire on the village. The King and those with him threw themselves into a ditch with two farm people

from the district. Half a minute later, the first bomb dropped in a small field close to a school, 80 yards away. In an interval, they gained the cover of the woods and the King and Crown Prince laid down with the Ministers, Members of Parliament and their secretaries, seeking shelter from the bombs and machine-gun bullets which rained down on them for an

nour and a half. Seven German bombers dropped between 40 and 50 light and heavy bombs and sprayed the wood with their machine-guns. The King and party stood behind pine trees and dodged around as the 'planes wheeled and turned. Trees broke like matchwood around them and bomb splinters and bullets fell like rain.

## Sad Company

It was a sad company that assem-bled in the village when the bombing was over. The King and Crown Prince took the lend in keeping up

everyone's spirits. The German 'planes had falled

Describing his long journey across Norway, the official said that he had talked with hundreds of Norwegians and found only a united determination to defend the institutions of Norway, its sovereign and his lawful advisors.—Reuter.

## LANCS. **FUSILIERS** GET M.C.

London, Yesterday. Three men in the Lancashire Fusiliers get the Military Cross for gollantry on the Western Front. Two, who performed a particularly brilliant piece of patrol work, also get the Croix de Guerre and have been given the M.C. by Viscount Gort himself; while the third gets the M.C. for smothering a hand-grenade in a trench, saving the lives of several comrades.-Reuter.

### TURKEY ROUNDING-UP SUSPECTS

Ankarn, Yesterday. The Turkish authorities are increasing their investigation into the activities of foreign residents, particularly of those who arrived recent-

## PREMIER INTERNED [SPECIAL TO "SUNDAY HERALD"]

FORMER

Belgrade, Yesterday. Milan Stoyadinövitch, the Yugo-Slav ex-Premier and Foreign Minister, who has been arrested by the authorities, will be interned in the small provincial town of Rudnik.

At the same moment that police arrested Stoyndinovitch, who was known for his pro-Hitler sympathies and his hatred of the Soviet, other police agents conducted a search of the residences of his friends.

The measures were taken under the recent Government decree submitting all allen activities to the strictest police control.

Politically the measures are significant when connected with the recent reversal of Yugo-Slav policy niming at rapprochement with the Soviet.—Havas.

### 100 Nazis Reported Shot By Government

[SPECIAL TO "SUNDAY HERALD"]

Basle, Yesterday. Press reports state that the drastic pollee action in Yugo-Slavia reached a climax yesterday when the number of arrested reached several thousands, while many others have been

The reports state the Yugo-Slav Government has shot nearly 100 Nazl leaders who were likely to become Yugo-Slav "Quislings."--Havas.



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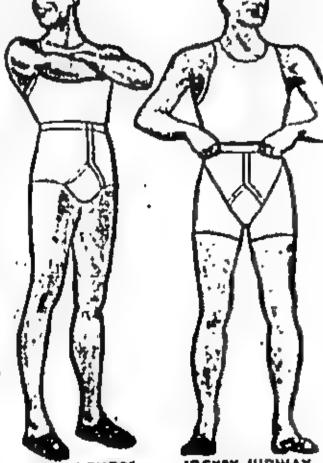
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## MUSSOLINI TO SPEAK APRIL 30

Amsterdam,

Yesterday.

A Rome message says that Signor Mussolini is to make a speech on April 30 when important decisions will be made known.

Germany is impatiently awaiting details regarding Italy's attitude towards international events, according to a report from Berlin. -Havas.

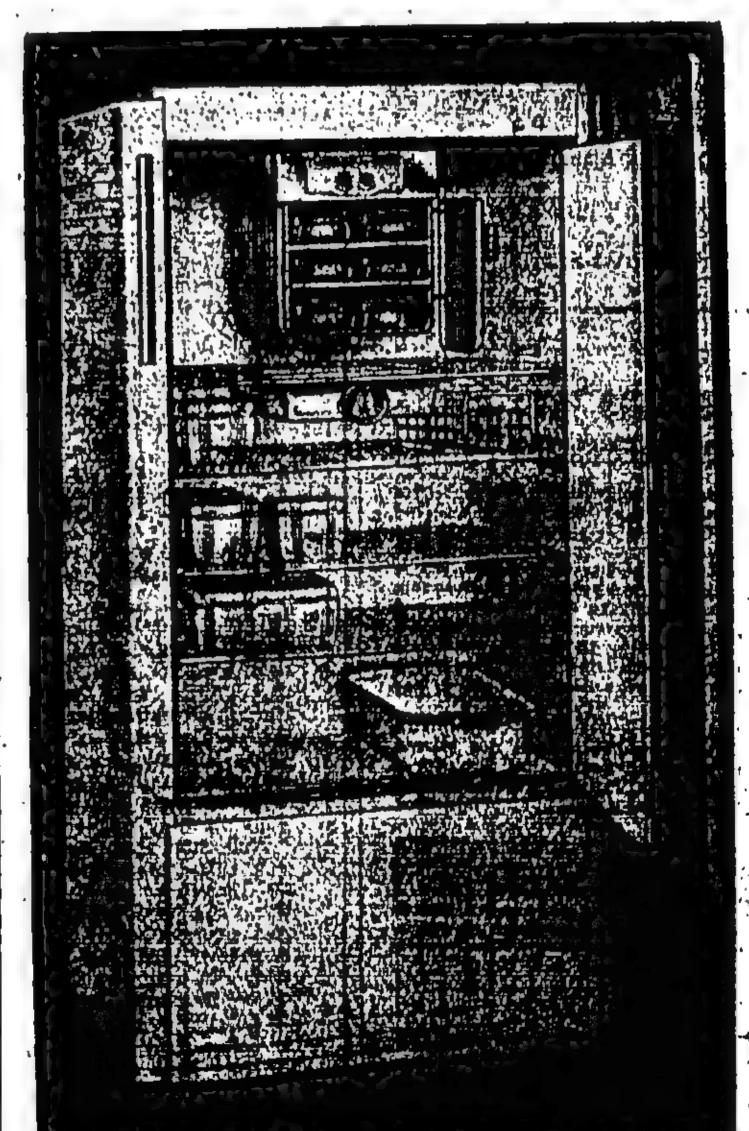
## PLANE ORDERS IN AMERICA

New York, Yesterday. Seven thousand 'planes have been ordered by foreign governments from the United States since the war began; most of these were ordered by Britain and France and 3,000 had already been

This was revealed by Rear-Admiral Towers, speaking before the Sennte committee on naval affairs. He predicted that the United States would be producing 25,000 planes a year by the end of 1940. Meanwhile, the State Department reveals that the British Empire placed orders for £5,000,000 worth of 'planes during March. Many went The Directorate of Public Safety over the border into Canada, where has already drawn up a list of unde- Government expenditure on all sirables recommended for expulsion. phases of the war is rapidly expanding.-Reuter. ...

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## **FANTASTIC** ITALIAN REPORT

LONDON, YESTERDAY. THE ITALIAN PAPER "POPOLO DI ROMA" PUBLISHES A RE-PORT, PURPORTING TO COME FROM ITS SPECIAL CORRESPON-DENT AT KARLSTAD (SWEDEN), WHICH STATES THAT 0,000 BRI-TISH TROOPS WERE KILLED OR TAKEN PRISONER IN A BATTLE AROUND NARVIK.

The report is called "funtuatie" is London.

The paper gives a few details about the alleged battle, which is labelled "a brilliant German victory." Karlstad, the place from which the report is supposed to have been sent, is in southern Sweden, about 650 miles from Narvik! In London, it is officially stated that the report is a complete invention and contains not a single word of truth.-Reuter. \*\*\*Karlstad is on the railway to German-occupied Oslo, which about 100-odd miles away as the pro-

### paganda flies. A Typical Claim

[SPECIAL TO "SUNDAY HERALD"]

London, Yesterday. Competent circles estegorically deny Italian reports claiming that tion which leaves for Moscow to-6,000 British troops were killed, morrow will be headed by a former wounded and captured during the Finance Minister and Vice-Governor Aghting near Narvik.

figure mentioned is probably greater than the total contingent landed .- to discuss Soviet-Yugo-Slav trade

## CANADA'S **IMMENSE**

LONDON, YESTERDAY. LATEST DETAILS OF CANADA'S WAR CONTRACTS SERVES TO IL-LUSTRATE THE MAGNITUDE OF Of France for M. Reynaud's HER WAR EFFORT.

Canadian purchases of war materiuls and supplies from mid-July 1939, to the end of February, 1940, amounted to Can. \$142,573,838.

More recent purchases have avernged about \$1,700,000 daily, '

In January and February, about Policy. fourteen million dollars' worth of aircraft and supplies were purchased by the War Suppy Board, including 404 De Havilland Tigers, 404 Fleet Trainers, and a number of Noordwyn Harvards.

Orders placed in the same period day. for new ships and the refitting and conversion of old vessels totalled 48

million dollars. on special machinery for the munufacturing of a secret type of war Deputies were behind him to a man.

### YUGOSLAVIAN TRADE MISSION

vehicle tyre.—British Wireless.

[SPECIAL TO "SUNDAY HERALD"] Belgrade, Yesterday. The Yugo-Slav economic delegaof the National Bank, and high off-It is pointed out here that the cials of the Trade Ministry.

The delegation's official object is relations.—Havas.



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## UNANIMOUS **VOTE FOR** REYNAUD

Paris, Yesterday. The support of the people Government was demonstrated yesterday when the Chamber of Deputies passed a unanimous vote of confldence in the Government's

The vote came at the end of the secret session, in which M. Reynaud reviewed the military and political situation. It will be recalled that he received the full support of the Senate in the Upper House on Thurs-

The events of the past few days have constituted a great personal triumph for M. Reynaud. When he A million dollars has been spent came into power he only had a majority of one, but yesterday the 504

The resolution passed by the Deputies said that the Chamber trusted the Government to continue the war polloy which has always had the approval of Parlia.

M. Reynaud then hurried off to keep what he had earlier in the evening called "pressing international engagements."

Later, he received the British Ambassador,—Reuter.

### **Authority Strengthened** [SPECIAL TO "BUNDAY HERALD"]

Paris, Yesterday. The motion of confidence in the Government by the Chamber of Deputies was unanimous, 504 voting for and none against.

The motion read: "The Chamber sends a grateful salute to the Allied forces on land, sea and in the air, and to the heroic Norwegian people. "It approves the Government's

declarations and trusts the Government wil pursue until final victory the war policy previously approved by Parliament," The vote means Parliament's full approval of the Premier's policy, and

M. Reynaud's personal authority is

considerably strengthened by this

## new success.—Havas, **TOKYO BOND** ISSUE

[SPECIAL TO "BUNDAY HERALD"] TOKYO, YESTERDAY.

THE GOVERNMENT IS LAUNCH-NG THE FIRST OF A SERIES OF NATIONAL BOND IBBUES SCHE-DULED FOR THE PRESENT FIS-CAL YEAR IN RELATION TO THE CHINA WAR.

Of a total of 400,000,000 yen floated, one hundred million will be taken by the Finance Ministry and 250,-000,000 by the Bank of Japan.

The greatest part of the latter sum will be kept by the Bank or passed on to various financial institutions, while the remainder will be offered to the public through the Post Office.

The bonds are issued in two categories; firstly, bonds of 100 yen sold at 98, bearing interest at 3½ per cent., and maturing on June 1, 1957, and secondly, discount bonds of 10 and 20 yen,-Havas.

## BATTERY DINNER

The 30th Heavy Battery, R.A., held their annual dinner at the Hotel Cecil last night. There were about . sixty persons present. Major C. R. Templer, R.A., presided and after the loyal tonst proposed the health of the Guests. The C.R.A., Brigadier. T. Macleod replied. He wished the Battery the best of luck in the coming season.

Several local entertainers contributed to the festivities including Messrs. Roche and Doane and the Stanley Hill Bill Billies.

Guests included the Battery football team, Brig. T. Macleod, R.A., Lt. Col. S. Shaw, R.A., Lt. Col. F. S. Hincheliffe and B.S.M. (IG) C. E. Ford.

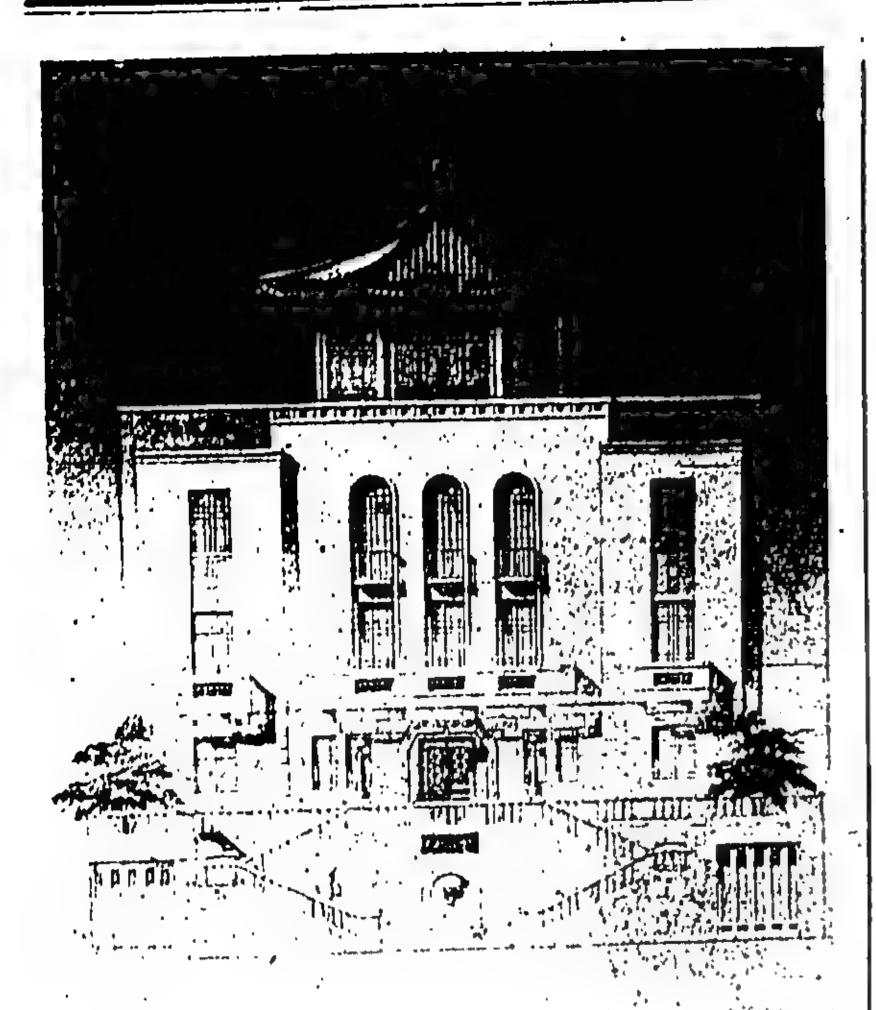
### DANCE OF CHINESE AUSTRALASIAN **ASSOCIATION**

Over 200 guests attended the inaugural dance of the newly-organised Chinese Australasian Association at the Roof Garden, Hong Kong Hotel, last night. Part of the proceeds will be donat-

ed to charitable organisations and part to the funds of the Association. In the course of the evening, vocal solos were rendered by Mrs. Sylvia Choy, Miss Elvie Yuen and Miss Collegn Ng Quinn. Cabaret and ballet items were presented by Miss Doreen Ma, Miss Frances Lee, Messrs. H. Tong, G. Chow, T. Lee, T. Yip, Miss G. Yee.

## **FOUND POISONED**

Suffering from sodium poleoning, a 26-year-old Chinese woman, Cheng Wan, was admitted to the Queen Mary Hospital on Friday. She is alleged to have tried to commit sui-



The new headquarters of the Red Swastika Society to be formally opened this week.

## Red Swastika Society's New Headquarters

(SPECIAL TO "SUNDAY HERALD")

THE HONG KONG RED Swastika Society, branch of the World Red Swastika Society, will move into its own building on Tuesday afternoon when Lady Northcote, wife of His Excellency the Governor, performs the official opening ceremony.

Costing over \$72,000 the new building is situated in Eastern Terrace, Causeway Bay, on a site which the Society purchased for \$37,000.

ST. PAUL'S SILVER JUBILEE

Founded in 1915, Paul's Girls' College commemorates its Silver Jubilee on Wednesday when the institution will be visited by Lady Northcote and Hon. Sir Robert Kotewall.

Sports exhibitions by students will take place during the morning and in the afternoon the school will welcome and entertain Lady Northcote and parents and friends to a tea par'y and with drill displays, musical items and a stage show.

With 50 students, five teachers, and the first principal, Mrs. Martin the school wan founded by members of St. Paul's Church Vestry and located in a building in Caine Road in March 1915.

In 1927, the school moved to its present premises in MacDonnell Road after moving from place to place in Caine Road. The sie was presented to the school by Government in addition to \$50,000 towards the cost of the building.

The present school rises to seven storeys, equipped with auditorium, spacious dining hall, a well-designed laboratory, domestic science room, a large swimming pool and a tennis court.

## POSSESSION OF REVOLVER

Charged with possession of a revolver and ammunition, Lau Wah and Ng Wing-cheung, pleaded guilty, at the Criminal Sessions yesterday. Lau Wah, who, Mr. E. H. Williams stated, assisted the police in finding the man who stole the weapon from a house in Jordan Road, was sentenced to nine months' hard labour, while Ng Wing-cheung was sent to prison for one year.

The accused were arrested in Laichikok Road on March 12, near a shop where the police believed they intended to commit a crime. Accused are at present serving terms for conspiracy.

### **FURTHER SMALLPOX** CASES IN KOWLOON

Cases of small-pox have re-appeared in Kowloon, two being reported on Friday.

chicken-pox, three each of meningi- labour by the Chief Justice, tis and dysentery, two of scarlet- Atholl MacGregor, yesterday mornfever and one of paratyphoid fever. ing.

Among those who have been invited to the opening ceremony are the Hon, Dr. and Mrs. P. S. Selwyn-Clarke, the Hop. Mr. and Mrs. R. A. C. North, the Hon. Mr. C. G. Sollis, the Hon. Mr. W. M. T. Tam. Mr. Hin Shing-lo, Mr. T. F. Lo, Mr. J. M. Wong, Mr. Ng Wah, Mr. Phillip Gockchin, Miss Taylor and several

The new building is three-storeys high with a basement. The offices St. will be located on the ground floor, a library and lecture hall on the first floor, and on the top floor a chapel. NON-POLITICAL

The local branch of the Society was established shortly after the outbreak of Sino-Japanese hostilithe ties, three years ago. It is an international philanthrophic organisation, non-partisan and non-political. It participates exclusively in flood,

drought and war relief work, rendering all possible assistance to the unfortunate and disabled with a view to promoting world peace. In China and Hong Kong, its work

is chiefly in accommoda ing refugees and encouraging and helping them to return to their former homes and other "unoccupied" areas. RELIEF WORK

The Hong Kong branch maintains units in different areas in South China, especially in "unoccupled" Kwangtung, Medical groups visit stricken areas and give treatment to the sick, burial squads take care of abandoned corpses, and food kitchens feed destitutes and refugees. in Hong Kong, the Society main-

tains an orphanage at Ping Shan. Mr. C. C. Liao, formerly of Singapore, is in charge in Hong Kong, and, the President is Mr. Li Shih-hao, formerly Minister of Finance of the Chinese Government Honorary Presidents are Dr. C. T. Wang, former Chinese Ambassador to Americo, and the Rev. K. L. Ricchert.

## VICTIMS

house, where they were contemplat-Three women were complainants at Kowloon yesterday in a case in which Chu Ki, 24, was charged with had come across the border on acimpersonating a police officer. He was remanded until Monday

for sentence. Det.-Sgt. C. Pope, prosecuting, said that at 11.30 p.m. on Friday, accused was seen searching a woman at the corner of Public Square and Reclamation Streets. He was arrested by a Chinese constable, It was found that on two previous

nights he had searched other women in the same' locality and took a watch from one of them.

### LONG SENTENCE ON PICKPOCKET

A pickpocket, Loung Shul, who day. Also notified the same day were admitted nine previous convictions, 24 cases of tuberculosis, seven of was sentenced to 18 months hard

## QUEEN'S COLLEGE

Caroline Hill Site Definitely Reserved

## SOUTH CHINA A.A. WILL HAVE TO MOVE

(SPECIAL TO "SUNDAY HERALD") THE NEW QUEEN'S College is definitely to be built on the site now occupied by the South China Athletic Association at Caroline Hill, the "Sunday Herald" learned yesterday from an authentic source.

The site has now been "reserved for the College" and construction of the new college buildings will be started immediately the South China Athletic Association hands over the ground to the Government.

hi circulation concerning the site for the new Queen's.

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Caroline Hill site was mentioned as the most probable, but at that time both Government and the Association officials discounted the reports saying that a site in Causeway Bay was under consideration and that Government was not going

to "turn the Association out." Yesterday, however, the "Sunday Herald" was reliably informed that the Caroline Hill site has been chosen by the Government as the only suitable location for Queen's College, and it has now been reserved for that purpose.

A new area is now being sought for the South China Athletic Asso-

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fleiding

Green, photographed after their

wedding at Rosary Church on

Thursday. The bridegroom is

connected with the A.P.C. The

bride was formerly Miss Mar-

garet Williamson of Vancouver.

BORDER

ing some hing.

hard labour.

THE

GAOL

When five men, Li Ping, Chan Tim,

Tsoi Tang, Hui Lam and Wong Lim,

appeared before Sir Atholl Mac-

Gregor yesterday charged wi'h pos-

of ammunition, Mr. E. H. Williams,

Crown Counsel, said the police had

no reason to disbelieve the story that

the men came across the border.

They took the arms to a boarding

The accused, who stated that they

count of the Japanese invasion, were

each sentenced to fifteen months'

ed with possession of an automatic

pistol and six rounds of ammunition,

in Tin Hau Temple Road, was sen-

teneed to twelve months' hard labour.

arrested by a district watchman.

In another case, Wong Man, charg-

## COFFINS

Even the dead have been caught in the high cost of living wavel Chinese coffins have increased in price from 20 to 200 per cent.

The best coffins come from Tungchow and Lluchow, but owing to the Japanese blockade, there is a shortage and the price, formerly in the neighbourhood of/\$1,000 each has risen to \$3,000 each! -

The common type formerly obtainable for from \$50 to \$70 each, now cost over \$100.

Even the crude coffins supplied for destitutes have risen from \$5 to \$12 each.



Mr. and Mrs. Edward Harrison, who were married last week at the English Methodist Church, Wanchal. The bride, Miss isabel Mountain, and bridegroom are both from Pickering, Yorkshire, Mr. Harrison is a member of the 8. W. Ching District of the Mothodist Missionary Society,

## HOSPITAL DEFICIT

There is a potential deficit of some \$400,000 in the budget of the Tung Wah Hospital for the current year, according to the hospital officials.

According to estimates, a sum of \$1,000,000 will be needed for running the three charitable hospitals this year. Yesterday, an appeal was is-

sued for subscriptions and a campaign for raising funds will shortly be launched.

## UN PULICE RESERVIST

HO SO, POLICE RESERVIST, CRIMINAL SESSIONS OF DE-MANDING MONEY WITH MEN-ACES AT THE EMPRESS HOTEL. APPEARED FOR BENTENCE BE-FORE SIR ATHOLL MACGREGOR Illon and the Public Pavillon. YESTERDAY.

He was fined \$1,000, with the alternative of nine months' hard labour. He was ordered to be kept in custody

sel, informed the Court that there are dances on Monday and Wedneshad been no complaints against the duy at 8,30 p.m., a whist drive at 9 accused during his stay in prison. p.m. on Tuesday, contract bridge and He was interviewed by a police offi- man jongg on Thursday and a variety cer on Friday and accused had pro- concert on Friday. mised to give information about the On Monday, April 29, a gala dance other men, Chan and Ng, and to do with music by the dance bar I of the his best to find them.

The Hon. Mr. Leo D'Almada, jpr., instructed by the Hon. Mr. M. K. Lo, appeared for the defence.

ther the courage nor callousness to would feel. be a real bad man." He had had "I am going to touch your pocket the anxiety of a long trial on a very -a very precious place."

## NOTICE TO QUIT FOR BATHING CLUBS?

[SPECIAL TO "SUNDAY HERALD"]

This summer will probably be the last season that bathing clubs will be permitted to pursue their acquatic activities at North Point.

It is more than likely that by this time next year, the bathing pavilions, now at North Point, will have to move to a new site.

This is because, it is understood, North Point is included as one of the "industrial areas" announced by the Government some months ago, and it is therefore necessary to transfer the ba hing resorts there to a more suitable place, persumably out

At present, there are some nine bathing pavilions at North Point, the South China Athletic Association, the Chinese Bathing Club, the Chung Wah Ba hing Club, the Chinese Bankers' Bathing Club, the Chinese Civil Servants' Club, the Chinese Y.M.C.A., the Eastern Athletic Bathing Club, the Wing On Pav-

### CHEER-O EVENTS

Among the events planned for the until the time was paid.

Mr. E. H. Williams, Crown Coun- coming week at the Cheer-O Club

Royal Scots has been arranged.

Passing sentence, His Lordship serious charge and had had a taste said accused appeared to be an "ex- of gaol life. He would impose a tremely amateur criminal with nel- punishment which he hoped accused

## ELECTRICAL PUMPS INSTALLED TYTAM (SPECIAL TO "SUNDAY HERALD")

SINCE MONDAY LAST, water from Tytam Reservoir has been pumped to this side of the island by new electric pumps, installed in place of obsolete machinery.

Hitherto, pumping from Tytam has been handled by five steam pumps, three of comparatively modern construction and two very old.

gallons a day each. A year ago, the two small pumps being "obsolete," it was decided that,

in their place, two electric pumps should be installed. Installation was completed about a week ago; and since Monday the new pumps have been in continuous action; each is capable of handling 1,500,000 gallons a day. The "Sunday Herald" was unable

pumping plant to electricity, but it is stated that the work of the new pumps will be carefully noted and compared with that of their larger steam brothers. During a week of continuous run-

ning, the new pumps have lived up to expectations, giving trouble-free and efficient service. As far as the ordinary consumer of water is concerned, the new vasion.

numps do not affect the supply through the mains one way or the But from the technical point of

there are certain beneficial considerations. INDEPENDENT UNITS

In the first place, there are now two independent pumping units working from Tytam, which combine to increase by half a million gallons a day the possible supply of water from the reservoir.

Operating costs vary according to conditions. At the moment, owing session of four Mausers, a revolver, to the high price of coal, the electrian automatic pistol, and 148 rounds cal pumps are cheaper to operate. With coal at normal prices, the steam pumps should be slightly

At the same time, they require more attention and a bigger staff to keep them going, the increase in wages, etc. offsetting to some extent the normally slightly higher running cost of the electric pumps. There is also the advantage that if

it were decided suddenly to increase the flow of water from Tytam, the electric pump could be put into instantaneous operation, whereas with steam pumps almost a whole day's riotice is required.

### LOYAL MESSAGE ON BIRTHDAY OF PRINCESS ELIZABETH

SNATCHER SENTENCED To-day is the 14th birthday of Sentence of 12 months hard la-Princess Elizabeth. The following bour was imposed on Chan Kong, l telegram has been addressed by the 23, by Mr. R. Edwards yesterday, Governor to the Secretary of State for stealing \$20 from a Chinese wofor the Colonies: Request that you man at the Tung On wharf on Friwill convey to Her Royal Highness Princess Elizabeth on the occasion Det.-Sergt, T. Cashman said the of her birthday the good wishes and woman disembarked from a steamer loyal and hearty congratulations of with \$20 in her hand. Defendant snatched it and ran away. He was all sections of the community in at accused's leg, bringing him to the Hong Kong.

# capacity of 3,000,000 gallons a day each and the smaller ones 1,250,000 AS USUAL...

[SPECIAL TO "SUNDAY HERALD"] THAT THE NORWEGIAN CON-SULATE IN HONG KONG HAS RECEIVED A COMMUNICATION to ascertain whether or not it is in- FROM THE "PUPPET" GOVERNtended to turn the whole of the MENT SET UP IN NAZI "OCCU-PIED" NORWAY, WAS REVEALED TO THE "SUNDAY HERALD" YES-TERDAY IN A BRIEF INTERVIEW WITH THE LOCAL NORWEGIAN

CONSUL, "No," replied the Consul, when asked whether he had received any instructions from the proper Norwegian Government since the Nazl in-

He had received a communication from the Oslo "puppet," but proposed

to ignore it. At the Danish Consulate yesterday, it was sated that no instructions had been received from the Danish Government. They were "carrying on as usual."

The circumstances of a shooting incident last Sunday night when Chinese detectives fired on a fugitive, were related by Det.-Sgt. Matches yesterday before Mr. E. Himsworth when Wong Ming, 25, was charged with theft, assault and breach of the Deportation Ordinance. He was sentenced to a total of 12

months' hard labour. Accused obtained dental accessories, worth \$261, by a trick from a shop in Halphong Road, and gave them to a man named Fung for sale. Fung was arrested trying to dispose of them.

Chinese detective (C621) was instructed to accompany Fung in search of accused. Wong Ming, Fung pointed out accused to C621, who told him that he was wanted by the police. Accused snatched the handcuffs from Co21's girdle, hit him with them, and run. The delective draw his revolver

and ordered accused to stop. Accused took no notice and C621 fired at his leg, with no effect. Another Chinese detective, C522, joined in the chase, firing one shot



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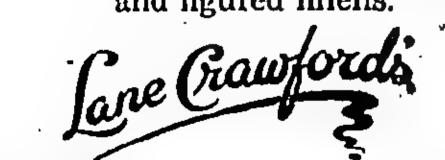




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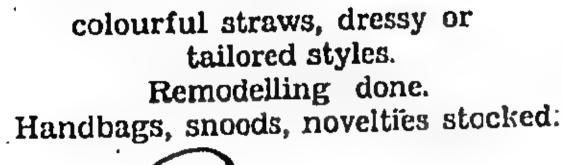
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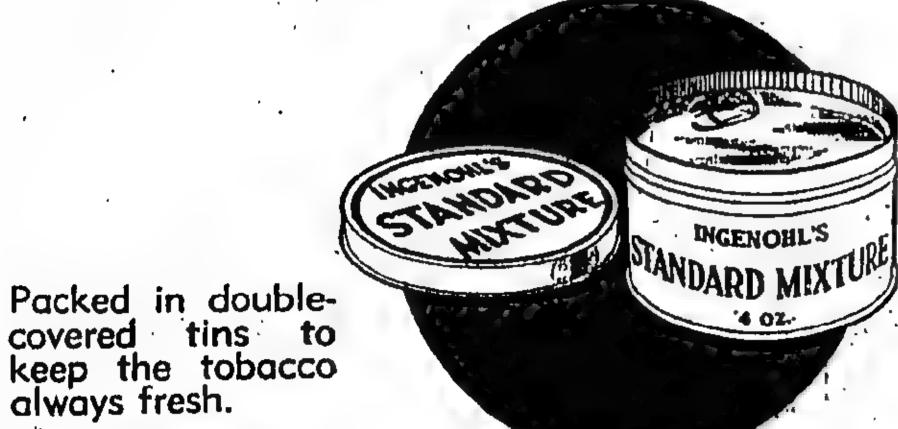
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Tkachenko

"Beef Stroganoff," we had a chat with the proprietor. Beef Strogunoff, named after a Russian prince famous as a gourmet, is one of the specialties of this rather unique enting place. For five years the restaurant has, been catering. to the needs of the inner man, and woman, both of Kowloon and Hong Kong, for many consider the ferry crossing worth while in order to savour the anap of the hors d'ocuvres, the substantial borsch. the shashleek (mutton cubes interspersed with peppers, tomatoes and what-have-you, and roastedover a charcoal fire), perhaps to finish with the Napoleon bomba, a great globe of ice cream sparingly garnished with peach, or pear, or pineapple, or perhaps another

In Tkuchenko's restaurant for

RORN and raised in Russia, Tkachenko's education was devoted chiefly to the preparation of food, and at an early age he began to operate a confectionery shop in Vladivostok. In that city, too, his brothers' were engaged in similar enterprises, and the young man, restless, decided to strike out on his own. Soon he removed to Harbin, finding business opportunities plentiful, and so fascinated was he by China that he decided to make it his permanent home. The outbreak of the Great War found him established in Shanghai, doing a thriving business in his "Garden," one of the largest restaurants of that metropolis.

THE caterer's life was proceeding smoothly until some ten years ago, when, hit by the depression which caught him without financial reserves to tide over the worst period, he struggled along for four years and finally was forced to close down. A change of locale seemed indicated, for in his cheerful, optimistic outlook there is no complete failure, only temporary set-back. Thus 1934 found him in Hong Kong, searching out sites, staff, tables, chairs and other para-. phernalia essential to restaurants. His place is perhaps not very large to-day, accommodating as it does some fifty to sixty people. But when Tkachenko's first invited the hungry in for refreshment, it was barely half its present size. The steady growth of his little business may be a reflection of the owner's optimism, hitherto referred to, that inability to entertain despair which seems to be an inevitable characteristic of the successful restaurateur. That, and a hearty appetite. For to see the expression of happy content with which this man sits down to a meal prepared by his own chef is to experience an increase of one's own appetite.

ODDLY enough, though away from his homeland for well over twenty years, Tkuchenko has never been able to master a word or phrase of any language but his native Russian. Yes, he says, he has tried; he has engaged teachers, bought books and pored over them. But his mind will slip away, his concentration, will falter from memorising a strange-sounding word, and he finds himself thinking either of what new dish to prepare to delight the clients of tomorrow, or with his mind's ear listening to the music he loves. Music, in fact, is his only recreation; for, he says, he needs no diversion, his interest being truly absorbed in his profession. And his follure to learn languages has no whit detracted from his ability to make good in his chosen field, as witness the crowded state of his dining room at tiffin or dinner time.

NOT much interested in offairs past, at the moment of our conversation his big trlumph lay in the fact that at last, after many efforts, he has succeeded in assuring for his restaurant a steady supply of the sturgeon he deems so excellent. He has completed arrangements for shipments of this fish, frozen in cakes of ice, to be forthcoming at regular intervals from Harbin, and over-this minor

victory, achieved in the face of war and shipping difficulties, he is, for the moment contents

WORKING closely and modestly with Mr. Tkachenko is his chief aide, Mr. Joseph Noyotny, familiarly known as Joe. During the six years of their association, the chief and the assistant have come to understand and rely upon each other. Joe, born and raised in Prague, by 1909 had completed a two year course in the hotel school of that city, and then gained some practical experience through three years of restaurant and hotel dining room work. Working and travelling in Germany and England for a short while thereafter, his career was interrupted by the out-. break of the Great War and his being summond for military service. After the Great War, Mr. Novetny found it impossible to return to life and work in his native country, for the years following the end of the war found Czecho-

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not object, for a busy day passes swiftly and leaves the sense of accomplishment that people of action require. For in times like those wo live in, it takes thoughtful plannings to maintain stocks, to order betimes so that all shipping delays may be taken into account, even to manage finances so that a publisher's rise in price need not at once and shockingly be passed along to one's clientele. And with all this, Mrs. Grant finds time, even as you and I, to go out dancing once in a while, to play a bit of golf, to swim, to make a fourth at bridge and mah jong\_And last year, her leave falling due, she visited four countries!-

THESE included the United States, England, France and Switzerland, where Mrs. Grant met and interviewed the publishers of works her bookshop sells and distributes; thus she managed to combine business with pleasure in what she describes as a very pleasurable man-

ner! In September began the voy-

uge back to Hong Kong, and this'

was planned so as to take Mrs.

Grant to France. Thus the day the

war was declared found Mrs. Grant

sailing from Marseilles on the last

lap of her journey. And she is well

content that the passage back was

without excitement or incident.

Back at her desk in the balcony of

Brewer's, she is settled back in the



Photo taken at the home of Mr. D. O. Silver on the occasion of a party to celebrate his 56th birthday.

Slovaklu in ferment. In 1928, he came East, and succeeding years found him pursuing his profession of restaurant manager at first in North China, in Tientsin, Shanghai and Singapore, Hankow, and later on in Canton. It was during his stay in Shanghai that he become acquainted with Mr. Tkachenko, and for three years he served in the latter's "Garden Restaurant." When that closed the two regretfully parted company. amid mutual / assurances that the severance was temporary. And so It proved, for the past three years has seen them again together. And who can tell how much of the success of Tkachenko's is due to the warm cooperation one senses between the two men? ---

y '\$ '\$ \$1', \$ Mrs. Betty Grant

THEN we were fortunate enough to meet another of Hong Kong's successful businesswomen. In a field where women have, perhaps, for a longer time had an accepted position, Mrs. Betty Grant has for some years been in charge of Brewer's Book Shop, Always interested in books, though from the position of the constant reader, Mrs. Grant confesses she had no experience in this field before coming to Brewers. But the offer of this post presented a strong appeal and she accepted, and as days went by, she found the work more and more interesting. Perhaps it is because the relationship between bookseller and book-reader is . rather a unique one, creating a cortain impersonal Intimacy, if one may coin an expression. Thus when glancing over publisher's catalogues, Mrs. Grant, knowing her client's interests and tastes, often finds herself checking such-and-such a one's initials alongside a new travel book, or a work of history, or a novel of a certain type.

DO more men or more women buy. books? Mrs. Grant replies, well, the purchasers are about evenly divided. Of late, it is true, more men are interested in works. of non-fiction, particularly books. of a political nature, as well as history, while the world's crises have scarcely affected women's interest in the novel, poetry and fiction in general.

AND in this busy port, are must of clients, residents, or transients passing through? Indeed, says Mrs. Grant, most are local people, there is little tourist trade at all. Which is not to any that this shop does not have its share of famous and notable customers from time to time. Peter Fleming, the noted author, was one such visitor. The British journalist, Vernon Bartlett, was another, as well, as Gerald Samson, another of "Warning Lights of Asla," and "Hessell Tiltman, who has written two books on China.

MANAGING, a shop, like many another profession, has its own set of exactions, one them, being the necessity to stay close to the scene of operations. Yet Mrs. Grant doeshandling satisfactorily a job satisfactory to the doer.

not unpleasant routine of filling

orders received from Chungking,

from Kunming and Yunnan; main-

taining in the shop that atmosphere

conducive to browsing and so en-

cournging to buying; in short,

Mrs. E. Mary Harmon GRACIOUS and charming in the midst of clamorous phone calls, despatching messengers, supervis-



MRS. HARMON

ing the filling of orders, Mrs. E. Mary Harmon received us at her desk in the Colonial dispensary, Interrupting her busy routine, she took time to tell us something of herself and of her shop, which she has managed for nine-years. In England, where Mrs. Harmon was born, she was trained and qualified as a chemist, practising her profession and managing a dispensary until some ten years ago when she married and came with her husband to Hong Kong. At that time she had thought the managing of her own home would be sufficient to fill her days, but for one active, alive and interested in the work of the world, this soon proved insufficient, "My life," she says, "hardly seemed full enough." Thus when she was urged to take over the Dispensury, in need of a manager, she welcomed the opportunity, for which her training and experience well fitted her.

Soon she found herself in the accustomed round of running a chemist's shop, with all the careful attention to detail such a task entails. For one must assure a constant reserve of the most-used medicines and remedies, make certain, that a condition of spotless

perfumes and other items which must be kept on hand in adequate quantities. And not a moment of it does Mrs. Harmon find dull, for there is something doing from opening till closing time.

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the prompt delivery of orders and

prescriptions. That much for the

drug and chemist's end of the busi-

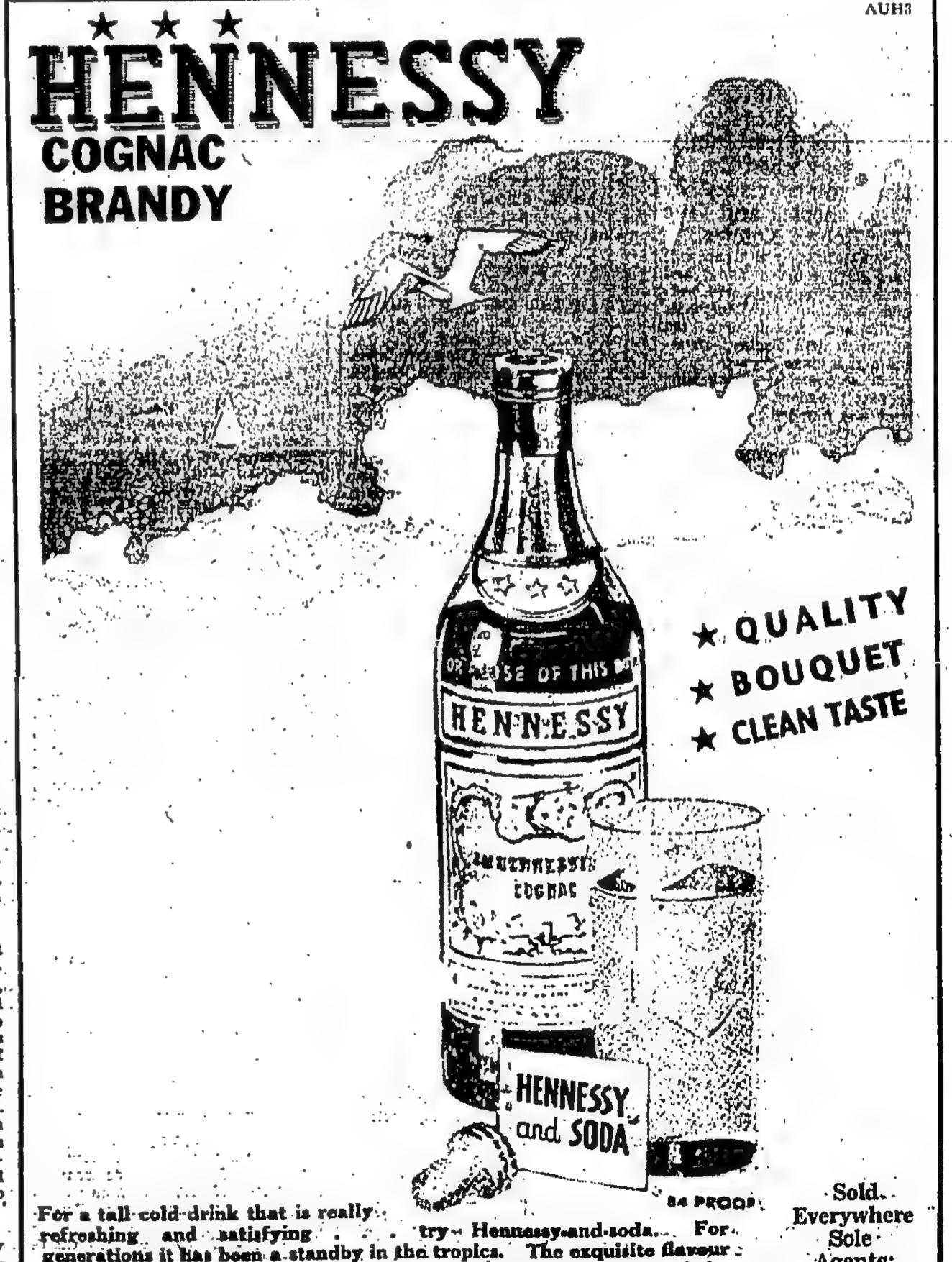
ness; there is also the providing of

those soutenirs, gifts, noveitles,

Noteworthy people who have visited her shop include Joseph Von Sternberg, the fumous actor and director, Vicki Baum, noted authoress, the former Doris Duke, now Mrs. James Cromwell, once reputed to be the wealthiest girl alive, and Barbara Hutton "as was," now the wife of a Swedish nobleman.

Thus, with the shop in full swing and at the same time managing her own household, Mrs. Harmon has found time passing pleasantly enough. Last year she and her husband-took advantage of a long leave to make a visit home, via Banff, Montana, Lewistown, near Great Falls, Toronto, and New York. In England they passed the eventful days from July 1939 to February this year, experiencing the unprecedentedly severe winter which intensified the anxiety of the war. Mrs. Harmon described life in London, under conditions of nightly black-out, and remarked how soon one adjusts oneself, even in a city so huge. She comments the practice blackouts of Hong Kong may seem rather fun, coming as they do but once in a while: yet one can imagine how tedious evenings would be were the lights never permitted to show, traffic perpetually slowed and diminished.

The return trip of the Harmons, via Suez, was a thrilling journey, albelt this was the third time Mrs., Harmon has travelled by that route. War conditions naturally lengthened the time of the passage, which ordinarily takes five weeks but this time consumed seven, what with long waits in various ports of call. Accustomed by now to the blacked out London evenings, the shipboard black-outs were neither novel nor annoying, seeming almost to be a natural accompaniment of these war-ridden days. And Mrs. Harmon does not complain that the trip was uneventful, that no submarines were sighted, no mines encountered!



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# Hitler's Spring Offensive

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NOW let us face the facts and realise that the most powerful weapons which Hitler is employing are not those usually found in the armoury of aggressive States. Let the Allies also use their full resources to wage this total war.

Where is our attention directed? Not to the Western Front for a spring offensive, so long anticipated, but to South-East Europe. Here, says M. Reynaud, "everything is being prepared by Hitler for an attack on the economic independence of the Bal-

This is the immediate operation which the Allies must counter. It is not at the moment a military operation. It does not involve the Germans in an expenditure of material. On the contrary, it will, if it succeeds, enrich their resources and loosen still further the grlp of the Blockade.

WHAT is the method of Germany in the Balkans? She sends her commercial travellers, whose status is enhanced by official imprimata and diplomatic panoply.

other lands.

term credit and they purchase as defenceless nor without friends. Notmuch as they can buy.

## By The Rt. Hon. LESLIE

accumulated to the credit of the suppliers, who must buy more German goods in order to be paid. The system gives to the Balkan countries the advantage of guaranteed markets. To the Germans it secures not only an outlet for their manufactures, but, to the extent to which they are able to purchase in excess of their requirements, surpluses of which they can dispose in order to acquire "free

IT is on Roumania that the full force centrated. The campaign is being the Italian occupation of Albania in directed by Dr. Clodius and this commercial Commander-in-Chief is assisted in his manoeuvres by a blackcoated General Staff, experts in the tactics of trade.

Why has Roumania been selected for the opening encounter in the new spring offensive? She possesses oil, wheat and other products complementary to the 'German economy, their power, Naturally, she is the object of Gorman covetousness and cupidity.

But there is another reason. Roumania is so situated geographically that Germany is able to bring both direct and indirect pressure to bear MORE recently, by her Agreement

Russia claims Bessarabia from Roumania. Hungary claims Transylvania and part of the Banat and tively with the Allies and to lend Bulgaria part of the Dobrudja.

to resist or support these demands, Germany can hope for voluntary or forced concessions for herself. The proximity of Germany to

CO-OPERATION IN THE DESERT-The importance of the Middle East increases every day and the Allies are keeping a careful watch on the strategic points. The finest troops from the two great Empires are at their stations and are already accustomed to the local conditions. The Commanders-in-Chief General Wavell (British) and General Weygand

(French) are working in close co-operation and here is a new picture

taken by special permission of the War Office, showing British troops in

manocuvres in the desert in Egypt. It shows a "Blenheim" bumber of

the R.A.F. swooping down over some troop carriers. (Air Mail).

They thus have an advantage from Roumania reinforces the effectivethe outset over their rivals from ness of both of these bargaining fac- of Hitler's efforts in conjunction

They have money at their disposal. Thus it would seem that Germany Federation under his own guardianthey entertain and are entertained, is in a good position to realise her ship. They offer German goods on long plans. Roumania, however, is neither withstanding the minorities, number-Balances in blocked Marks are ing five millions out of the twenty millions of population over which King Carol rules, he has succeeded in achieving a remarkable degree of national unity.

> ROUMANIA'S armed forces, to- Herald" and Co-operation. Reproduction in whole or part strictly forbidgether with the newly constructed Carol Line, are reported to den. be formidable-obstacles in the way of an aggressor.

It is not, however, only on her own strength that Roumania need rely. She is associated with Greece, Yugo-Slavin and Turkey in the Balkun Pact under which the signatories provide for a mutual guarantee of all their frontiers.

Although Greece and Turkey have entered reservations to the effect that they cannot undertake to become involved, as a result of the Pact, in war against a Great Power, Roumania could presumably rely upon their indirect if not on their direct

Then there are the undertakings of this method is now being con- of Britain and France, given after April 1939. These provide that in the event of any action being taken which clearly threatens the independence of Roumania, and which the Roumanian Government considers it vital to resist with its nutional forces, then the Governments of Britain and of France will render to Roumania all the assistance in

> with Britain and France signed in Angora in October 1939, Turkey pledged herself to co-operate effecthem all aid and assistance in her power in the event of their being engaged in hostilities by virtue of their guarantee to Roumania.

BY alternative promises and threats A protocol attached to the Agreement stated that the obligations undertaken by. Turkey could not compel that country to enter into armed conflict with Russia.

No such reservation, however, was entered in respect of Germany.

Roumania, therefore, when faced with extreme German demands can, It she is driven to resist by armed force, count on direct support from Britain, France and Turkey and indirect support from her partners in the Balkan Entente.

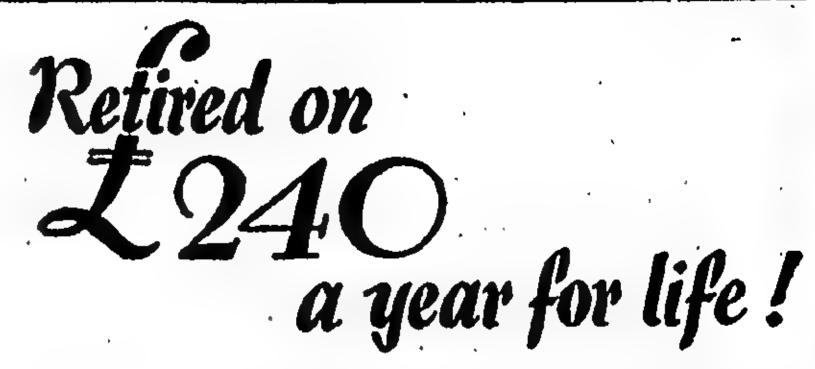
THE Allies and Turkey have great forces ready in the Middle East to fulfil these obligations.

Germany, it is to be assumed, will do everything in her power to avoid providing an opportunity for these forces to come into action against her and will conduct her offensive in the bloodless manner mentioned by M. Reynaud.

It is indeed part of the major strategy of Germany to keep the Allied forces mobilised but inactive while; ahe pursues her aims without recourse to military operations. This consideration adds importance

to.M. Roynaud's words. It will not be enough for the Allies to await the consummation of Hitler's .economic offenzive. before. deciding what to do. ..

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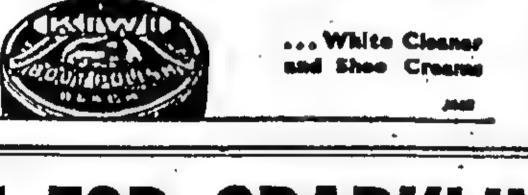
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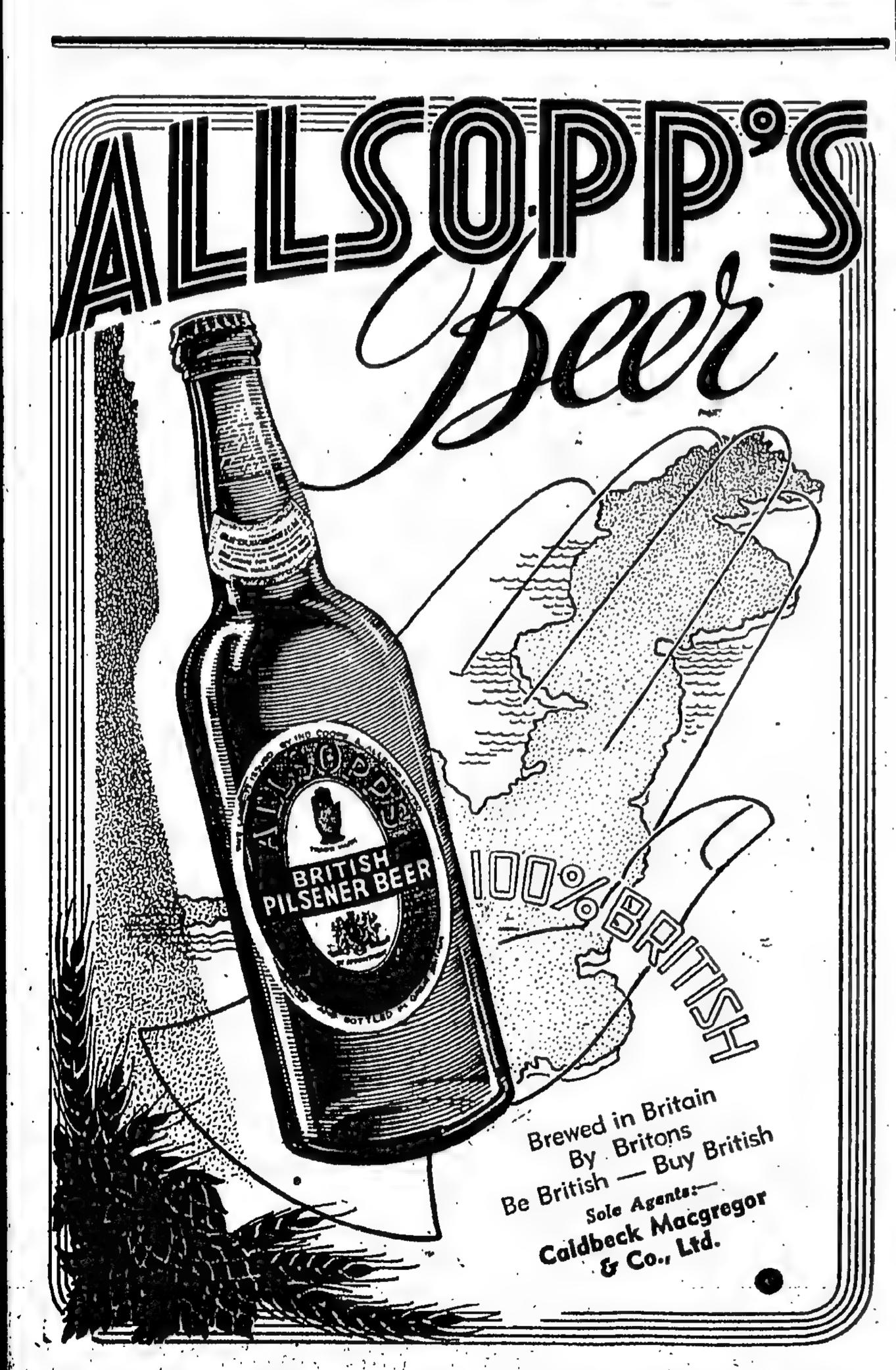
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### CORRESPONDENCE

## BAN ON RENT

Sir,-In your issue of the 13th instant, you inserted a paragraph which was headed

> ALL RENT INCREASES BANNED

If you will examine the proposed amendments carefully, you will find that your statement has misled your readers, since the object of the Bill is to prevent Landlords passing on to their tenants War Revenue Taxes, which it is intended shall be borne by Property Owners, and it is not intended that the Bill should prevent Landlords from raising their rents reasonably in order to obtain a fair return on their investments.

There is a proper procedure for tenants to follow should they feel aggrieved when their rents are increased, and any of their legal friends will be glad to advise them of the steps they should take to obtain protection from too-grasping Landlords.

That no rentals may be increased during the duration of the War (which may possibly last for years) is too ridiculous for any sensible person to believe. The population of Hongkong has risen quickly, from 1,050,000 in March 1939, to 1,850,000 last month.

If this serious housing shortage is to be met, such a wish on the part of property owners will be killed should unfair legislation be introduced,-fortunately for the Colony there are some responsible people who can see this point.

I think it is due to your readers to inform them of the true position on this question, so as to save them from undue heartburnings.

ALSO A TENANT.

\*\*\* The heading was in the nature of a generalisation, in the main true as to the practical effects of the new measure. There are certain provisos in this, as in most Bills, and it is undoubtedly possible for a landlord to justify a rent increase, under special circumstances such as, for instance, the occasion of the expiry of an old lease. If it can be conclusively shown that the rent under the old lease (which could not be raised during the general boost of 1938) is much lower than the average rent of similar premises in the same neigh wurhood, a good case for a rent increase in a new lease could, probably, be made out.

The meeting of the housing shortage has nothing whatever to do with legislation protecting sitting tenants, except insofar as the shortage has been used or could be used for profiteering. There is nothing to prevent the builder of new property from fixing a rent level giving him a fair return on his investment. Obviously, anyone entering upon a new tenancy has no protection under the Ordinance. He comes to his own arrangement with the landlord as to the rent to be paid. He is however protected from the moment that agreement has been reached.-Ed.

### AMERICA'S AID TO CHINA

ESPECIAL TO "SUNDAY HERALD"

Washington, Yesterday. Before returning to China, Dr Chen, head of the Chinese purchasing commission here, called on the Secretary of Treasury, Mr. Henry Morgenthau, whom he thanked for America's, financial assistance to the Chinese Government.-Havas.

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and the description of a

MISS CICELY THOMASON, 23-year-old London telephonist, has just come home from Germany, where she had been since war began.

For more than three months she lived with German friends in Hanover, and was allowed to move

Throughout that time she observed and noted down her impressions of how the war appeared to Germans, how they were affected by restrictions, their views on England, our propaganda

ember 4, 1939): Sirens sounded at tunes, deriding Mr. Chamberlain and

7 p.m. Warning lasted half an hour. Mr. Churchill. Heard no firing. Later we gathered that R.A.F. were bombing Wil- Had no luck in Berlin, Chamberlain? helmshaven and Cuxhaven. German Had no tuck with Stalin, Chamberwireless claim no damage done, and 12 R.A.F. 'planes down.

September 5. Wakened by warning at 4.20 a.m. Trotted down to Chamberlain, Chamberlain, cellar. "All clear" in a few minutes. Later heard this was false alarm caused by a motor-bike approaching frontleri

nan, through air-raid signal, Warning lasted about an hour. NOTHING HAPPENED. People a bit less jit- He may stuff Britons with The tery about alarms now.

Then came the leastet raids-with no warnings.

LAUGHED AT LEAFLETS Cicely thinks the leaflets dropped by the R.A.F. had the wrong sort of We'll send others under the sec. propaganda.

"Some were dropped near Hanover," she said. "People who picked them up simply laughed at them. Instead of trying gently to coax the Germans out of the political opinions pumped into them by Hitler for years, "You're a lot of fools not to think like us." Other notes:

The Black-out-Much blacker than in England. Why, London's black-out is almost daylight compared to it. You can't flash a torch unless the light is dimmed to the merest glow; motorists can't use lights and only a narrow slot of light comes from the headlamps. Not a gleam of light must escape from a window.

You ought to hear the curses pedestrians strumble over islands in the middle of the street.

SINGING FOR COURAGE The Larder.—Chief grumbles are and coffee. Germans get one egg ter, and only ersatz coffee.

The Wardrobe New clothes rationed, except coats and shoes, for which you obtain a certificate from the local authorities. Oh the clothing ration cards a handkerchief costs you one "point," a pair of stockings four points.

You can get four pairs a year at this rate, and if you care to sacrifice a further eight points you get two extra pairs. At Christmas the women could buy as presents one "free" pair; the men one "free" tie.

The Radio: Lots of Germans are cynical about their home news bulletins, but not many are prepared to risk punishment by listening to foreign broadcasts.

Those found guilty are sent to a penal settlement. An Austrian in the Tyrol got a sentence of 21/2 years. The Dressing Table: Women are worried about their complexions be-

about without restrictions.

Here are extracts from the diary, | cause no cold creams are available. which she smuggled across the Miss Thomason says the Germans frontier, and some of her comments: are keeping their spirits up by in-The first air-raid warning (Sept- venting parodies on well-known

One runs:

With umbrella in your hand, You wander from land to land,

Chamberlain. Another, about Mr. Churchill, glorifies the sinking of the Royal

Oak, and runs: September 8: Out of bed at 3 This must make the First Sea Lord shudder. So he lies, just lies, as if he's beaten.

Times' fodder, And if all goes well he'll see it eaten.

But the Royal Oak won't want company.

You will make the First Lord look Kapitanleutant Prien.

"The Germans did not take the sinking of the Graf Spee too badly,' said Cleely, "but they were bitter about the Altmark incident, because the leasets told them in effect. Goebbels told them that the British sallors threw hand grenades and fired at 'disarmed' German seamen as they tried to escape to land.

OFFICER APOLOGISES

"The only nusty things said about England to my face came, from a German Army officer sitting at the next table in a Hanover cafe. He did not know when he began to talk to us that I was English. When I told him he persisted in his criti-

"He left the table, but came back shortly afterwards with a lovely bunch of flowers which he pressed into my hands."

Miss Thomason had no complaints about the shortage of eggs, butter, to make about her treatment as a prisoner at the Hanover gaol, to exercise their powers in their own each per week, just over 1/4lb. but- which she was taken in the middle of discretion? December.

## Cheek To Appeal?

Sir.-I observe from the daily newspapers that when an appeal against a conviction by a Police Magistrate, of obstructing and delaying the Police, had been dismissed by the Chief Justice on April 18. 1940, the law officer appearing for the Crown (against the appeal).

".... said the fine imposed had been a nominal one of \$10 and asked that the penalty be increased to substantial one."

None of your daily contemporaries published sufficient material to enable one to judge whether there were any merits in the Crown's application. The appellant was an underling in one of the private clubs on Nathan Road, Kowloon. He had been convicted for obstructing or delaying the entry of the Police.

"If the law officer of the Crown who oppresed the appeal asked the Chief Justice for a heavier penalty only because the Defendant had had "the cheek" to appeal, then his application was most improper.

If the law officer of the Crown made his application for a heavier penalty on the instructions of the Police, the Police should have furnished him with the grounds on which to found such an application. I understand that the only argument adduced by the Crown was, as quoted above, that the fine had been nominal one. Why should it not have been nominal? At any rate, the First Police Magistrate in Kowloon and the Chief Justice thought

it should have been so. This palicy of "I'll learn them" is altogether wrong. A year or two ago there was a prevalent rumour that such appeals were disfavoured; hence, attrition. More is the pity that there is no "Mr. Haddock" in Hong Kong.

I ask for a little more space in order to make the matter clear. In 1935, an Ordinance was enacted to amend the Magistrates Ordinance, 1932, thereby providing a cheap and expeditious mode of appeal against decisions by Police Magistrates. This was un innovation in Hong Kong that was hailed by the more progressive (or aggressive) elements in the Colony. One sub-section pro-

"The powers of the judge shall be construed as including power to award any punishment, whether more or less, severe thun that awarded by the magistrate, which the magistrate might have award-

Surely the Judges can be left to

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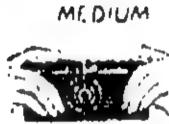
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## CrisisofCivilisation

against aggression undoubtedly re- help in case of need. same moral principles in International, relations on behalf of which

the Allies have taken up arms. Although in Britain there was the utmost sympathy with Finland, there was recognition of the difficulties caused by her geographical position. There was strong aversion from being drawn into war with the U.S.S.R. There was appreciation that the defeat of Hitlerism was the major objective. Nevertheless, there was an uneasy feeling that help might have have saved Finland.

It is, of course, realised that Hitler chose his own time for the war and that he had been organising for war and nothing but war ever since his I rise to power. It is accepted that the six months respite from major land operations has been of great which had to change to a war economy.

No one in England demands a mass initiation of any wild cat adventures.

win the war. asserted their mastery on the sea. The Allied airmen have given abun- applied energetically. or threats of force bring all the neu- the colours, there are still many untral States of Europe into his orbit, employed in Great Britain, There are and Co-operation. Reproduction in whole The great financial strength of the still many at work who would be or part strictly forbidden.]

THE tragic termination of the gal- Allies must be used to the utmost, better employed in other ways. lant fight of the Finnish people There must be also the assurance of . There is still much land unculti-

presents a setback to the cause of the The Blockade is undoubtedly hav- are mines which could be reopened Alles, or, one might say rather, to ing its effect, but will not exert its and miners unemployed. What is rethe cause of civilisation. For though full influence until Germany is for- quired is direction and planning by the Allies were not directly involved ced to expend her resources. Up till the Government to avoid waste and in the Finnish war, the Finns were now, except for the campaign in Po- increase production. The people of fighting against the brute force of land and her submarine campaign, Great Britain, firm in their deter-

By The Rt. Hon. C.R. ATTLEE,

Leader Of The Opposition plea that time is on the side of the ficult, but it is essential. Allies must not be made un excuse

be effectively mobilised. mand for more vigorous action by and weak administration. the Government, for more direction. It would be a mistake to under-

dent proof of their quality. On land, It is abundantly clear that to supnothing of major importance has oc- port the war effort and to maintain curred. Herr Hitler still hesitates the standard of life of our people to launch his big attack. There re- there must be greater production, main, however, the diplomatic and both for home consumption and for economic fields. Cannot more be done export. But this can only be done there? The Allies cannot afford to sit by utilising to the full all resources. still and see Herr Hitler by cajolery Despite the numbers of men called to

vated or not fully cultivated. There aggression and in defence of those she has not really been extended. The mination to achieve victory, will follow a clear lead. They will understand that in time of war it is production that counts and that a man whose peacetime employment in non-essential service is considered to be worth a thousand pounds year may well be more valuable in wartime producing food to the value of only two hundred pounds.

In a wealthy and highly civilised community this change-over is dif-

The Prime Minister of a country at been sent sooner, perhaps in time to for inaction. The potential strength war must be ruthless with inemof the Allies is indeed far greater clency. If a Minister is clearly not than that of Germany, but it must up to his work, he should be replaced at once. Nothing is so damping to In Britain there is a growing de- the morale of the people us feeble

and more effective administration, estimate in any way the effort which advantage to the civilised countries The composition of the War Cabinet Britain is making. People in counis more and more criticised as being tries without a sea tradition do not constructed on the wrong basis. The always appreciate the immense ex-Allies are fighting an enemy who is penditure of energy represented by attack on the Siegfried, Line or the going all out to try to win. No half- the British Fleet and the Mercantile measures will be sufficient to meet Marine. They do not always underthe challenge. I have no doubt that stand the steady pressure of sea powbut there is a demand for initiative the challenge. I have no doubt that stand the steady pressure of sea pow-and drive. "Wait and see" won't by methods in accord with the de- er. In addition to our Navy we are mocratic traditions the Western rapidly building up a great air force The British and French navies have Powers can excel the efforts of the and a powerful army. Behind these dictators, but those methods must be fighting forces there has to be a tremendous economic machine to keep them all in effective operation and to maintain the home front.

It is a sign not of weakness, but of determination, that there should be at this time a widespread demand for increased effort and vigorous initiative. The British people realise that they are facing a crisis of civilisation. They will not fail.

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# Italy's Neutrality

ful waiting. The country may ap- they attribute to Ciano, are glad that this will be repeated that Muspear to take sides, but the busic goul nevertheless that he moderates the solini takes a pro-German step every is still peace.

This policy, needless to say, is confidence in the latter. popular with the overwhelming impjority of the Italian people, and the few hotheads who are impressed with the German army because they have never seen the French have no political importance. The people know that Italy is not prepared for war, and they know that upon their entry the Valley of the Picdmont would become the battlefield upon which the mighty armies of France and Germany would decide the Issue, Italy being the ground be-

tween the two. When Hitler made war over the veto of his Axis ally, the Italians knew that they were not strong enough to make a "Blitzkrieg" successful. They hoped that they could get raw materials from the Allies as well as from Germany and could By well as from Germany and could earry through their rearmament in six months. The first six months of war have passed, and Italy is rela-

majority of Italians to be pro-Ger- some basis in fact, are exaggerated forbidden). man, impressed with the success of in each instance. After all, they chine created by the new Reich. The they took before the public a year public feels too that Signor Mussolini ago. Then Ciano and his wife, Eddu thinks that the future of Fascism is Mussolini, were said to have been involved in the success or failure of taken in into the German camp

Hitler's challenge to Democracy. is believed by the majority of Ital- ally of Britain and France in the ians to have become pro-Ally,

While the Italians cannot yet be nonsense. described as pro-French or proclearly anti-German.

Muny Italians, therefore, while editor, funned the flame of sympathy nolicy may be described as watch- they do not shore the pro-Ally views for France. It is because he fears Duce's enthusiasm for littler and his time his public becomes more pro-

> An important Fascist who holds this view explained it in words which make sense to Americans. "Clano became pro-German several years ago," he said, "and he sold his father-in-law on the Germans sincerely believing in that line of goods. But having come now to believe that the Allies are preferable, Ciano connot unsell the Duce.

## Mussolini Likes To Live Dangerously

This is all very plausible, but I he is playing for sufety. tively no stronger than she was in feel that the pro-German sympathics of Mussolini and the pro-Allied sym- Herald and Co-operation. Re-Mussolini is believed by the pathies of Ciano, while they have production in whole or part strictly Hitler and the powerful military ma- have blatantly reversed the roles lock, stock and barrel. Then the Count Ciano, on the other hand, Duce was described as the former World War who could have no such

It seems more likely to me that British they are most definitely and the roles have been deliberately reversed. Signor Mussolini is the most skilful of politicians, and his cloverest trick has always been to divide, confuse and paralyse public opinion In moments when he was not ready to launch out on a clear policy. Lying between the two belligerents, he cannot take a clear line now without becoming involved. It is to his advantage therefore to create the idea of a dual personality at the helm, so that he has a foot in each camp. In this way Fascist officialdom is afraid to come out against the Germans because that might bring down the ire of Mussolini; afraid to come out against the Allies because Ciano might strike them from the patronage list—and who lives in Italy without benefit of the patronage list scarcely lives at all. For that is the great bogey of the Fascist regime-the fear that Italian public opinion will become crystallised and will suddenly force the hand of even so skilful a politician as Mussolini. A. public, which is in-

> memoirs of the various ambasadors. at Rome in 1914-1915. They agree that Italy went to war because the idealism which lies deep under the Renaissance realism of the Italians suddenly inflamed the whole nation. And Mussolint knows this better than

Ally. This is a vital factor in Mussolini's having cancelled one hundred million dollars' worth of contracts with Great Britain and having forced the British to blockade German coal coming to Italy. The, Italian public never read one word about thuse contracts, but it is going to read hundreds of thousands of bitter words about "England trying to choke and starve Italy." For Mussolini is trying to keep

out of war at any price. Even if, as many believe, he calls a general mobilisation in another month, that would be a during gamble to hold off Hitler-a gamble based on the hope that the Allies will be intelligent and generous enough to understand and withhold their own armics. It would be a curious stratagem, but in trying to keep his power over the Italian people, Mussolini likes to "live dangerously" even when (World copyright 1940 by "Sunday

Two further articles by John Whitaker showing why Mussolini, if he can, will stay out of 'the war, will be published in the "China Mail" to-morrow

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creasingly anti-German might auddenly become pro-Ally. . It is instructive to-day to mad the any man alive, for he, as an obscure





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## THE PEARL RIVER

CHIPPING and commercial firms in Hong Kong with a direct interest in the restoration of free traffic on the Pearl River will echo the dubitations expressed in the statement of the Canton Foreign Chamber of Commerce, published elsewhere in this issue.

In itself, the fact of the Japanese decision to re-open the river to Hong Kong shipping is satisfactory, as it marks a real advance in the right direction. It may, indeed, be hailed as the turning-point of a period of acute difficulty and unpleasantness. Something more, however, is essential if the re-opening of the river is to be invested with more than academic importance.

If the Japanese authorities now in control of Canton. intend the step to be more than a gesture, the regulations and restrictions which remain must not be so onerous as to be vexatious and they must establish beyond doubt or interference what is permissible and what is not, and follow basic principles.

The first of these is that interpretation should be subject to one central control. Confusion and contradictory decisions are inevitable if several authorities are to concern themselves with the movements of steamers and

The second is that the aim of creating normal trading conditions should receive Japanese attention as a measure towards mutual advantage.

As it is, what is known of the proposed procedure and the scope of the list of restricted and prohibited articles does not encourage confidence in the immediate practical benefits of the river's re-opening. Foreign traders, who alone are really interested since Japanese freighters have at all times moved in the river without restriction, will begin with a heavy enough handicap without measures of control rendering the Japanese concession wholly nugatory.

## THE DUTCH EAST INDIES

EXCITEMENT aroused by the statement of the Japanese Foreign Minister, raising the issue of the future status of the Dutch East Indies, has not been eased by the subsequent observations of the Japanese Navy spokesmen, nor by the recollection that it is only a few weeks ago that Japan gave notice to abrogate an arbitration treaty with the Dutch East Indies.

Suspicion that the "New Order" policy has southern implications has been given new impetus as the prompt warning of the United States Government showed.

There, at the moment, the matter rests, without settling anything. America is still discussing her future policy in the Orient and until it has been more clearly defined, Japan is unlikely to feel the pressure sufficiently to cause her to abandon any of her "enterprises."

The sane view of the situation is, of course, expressed in the leading article of the "Manchester Guardian," which asking the question: "What is to happen to the N.E.I. if Holland is at war?" answers with two others: "Why should anything happen to them?... Why should they not go on as they are now?"

Any deviation from that approach to a problem which may never arise must automatically be suspect.

Speculation on the future course of operations in Scandinavia has been swiftly overtaken by events. The British landings

"nt several points on the right moment not only to stiffen bombardment, have rendered this, influence of the "Osservatore the resistance of Norway, but to the most modern and important in Romano" which does not print bulbring new heart and encouragement Norway, virtually untenable, and letins on official instructions, but to the other small neutral states of the airport at Trondheim has been preserves an objective balance with Europe. The speed of action was the similarly converted into a trap for an instinctive prejudice in favour of impressive feature. Hitler sprung grounded machines. In the opera- the Allies, has been remarked by the coup which was to have reduced tions, R.A.F. losses total 25, but a close observers of the situation. Mr. Norway to vassalage in a few hours conservative estimate places the Cross, Minister of Economic Warfarc, on April 9. On April 16, British Nazi air losses at over 70. troops were on Norwegian soil, a tribute to the completeness with which Italy Comes the Navy and Air Force had done their job, and a triumph of military organisation, even allowing for the association of the Expedition with the Allied offer to Finjand.

Namsos And Narvik

other reports it is apparent that the power for employment elsewhere if primary bases are Narvik and Nam- need be. With a violent anti-British sos. The Narvik landing has se- press campaign went reports of the land, Belgium, Switzerland, Sweden, condary significance, more a matter Italian Flect at sea on manocuvres, Yugo-Slavia, Rumania, without ex-of strategy than tactics. From the arrival in Albania of a flood of ception threatened countries, have Namsos, however, Trondhelm will Italian "labourers," the calling up of become the first primary objective, four additional classes, and undis- taken steps against "Fifth Column" and from Trondheim run two rail- guised military preparations in the sabolage, in addition to other meaways to southern Norway, where the region of Trieste. Norwegians are stubbornly defending the Elverum-Hamar line.

Hitler's

Difficulties der in carrying action beyond a point Italy, playing a minor part in the where he could guarantee mainten- Axis game, was seeking to create a The Portents ance of communications becomes tension which would draw Allied Good more apparent as day succeeds day, naval forces from the North Sea to All reinforcements and supplies to the Mediterranean, and loosen the points north of Oslo must be air- grip round Hitler's neck, to expresborne, burning into his reservoirs of sion of a fear that Italy, willy-nilly, promise for the Allied cause, was aviation spirit. In the south, the would be dragged into the war by attack on the Norwegian positions Nazi operations in the Balkans. It strikingly confirmed by the Parliahad to be halted while bases were is a fair assumption that Il Duce mentary debates in France. M. Reymade secure by reorganising and would have no qualms about a cam- naud, the new Premier, who had a supplementing the Norwegian coast paign to keep the Allies worried majority of one in the Chamber defence system. The delay has given while preserving determination to the Norwegian military authorities keep out of the conflict. It is equally when he took office, received a vote time to organise defensive positions certain that he could not remain of confidence from 504 deputies on and the men to occupy them and inactive in the face of German in- Friday. The Senate, on Thursday, even successful operations will now vasion of the Balkan and Danubian had risen to its collective feet and be tremendously more costly than States. Only Mussolini knows whethey might have been ten days ago.

Air Force Playing Important Part

Additional respite has been afford- Internal ed the Norwegians and Allied troops by the unremitting offensive opera- Politics? tions of the Navy and Air Force. Nine air raids on the serodrome at Whitaker, in an article in Page

Paradoxically, as the true picture

of events in Scandinavia became clearer, so Italy's attitude vis-a-vis the Allies become increasingly hos- New Heart tile. Precisely in inverse ratio to

Mussolini's Motives?

defied accurate analysis. Guesses How disastrous was Hitler's blun- varied from the suggestion that live. ther he would burn his boats to roundly cheered the Prime Minister right direction.

Another theory, suggested by John

Duce is sticking to his fence, and to do so in security needs to stir Italian people who are too pro-Ally in their approach to

the coast of Norway" came at just Stavanger coupled with a naval European problems. The increasing epitomised the British attitude, in calling for clarification of Italian policy. Desire is for good relations, but we are too deep in this war to stand for nonsense.

Neutrals Take

Revitalisation of neutral spirit, a naval triumph, relieving the strain direct outcome of Hitler's Scandina-Exact points of the landings re- in the North Sca, potentially freeing vian misadventure, has been marked main an official secret, but from a greater part of the Allied naval by decisive measures for internal security throughout Europe., Holsures for their better security. Foreigners are lumped together for the purpose of applying the decrees, but no-one (least of all the Nazis) is Mussolini's policy and motives under any illusion about the objec-

Conviction that the war has entered upon a new phase, with high "protect Italian interests in the Bal- during and after a secret session kans," or exert his influence in the when the military situation, on land, sea and air, had been frankly surveyed. No-one imagines that the war is anything but in its beginnings, but looking at the portents today, they find them good.

SCRUTATOR.

## Battle Of Ideas: By Antonina Vallentin THE NEW POLAND

said General Sikorski in an inter- as a result of the romantic epic in the madman of Berchtesgaden. view about a year after the conclu- which the gold of the Bank of Posion of the treaty of friendship be- land was packed into ordinary omnitween Poland and Germany. After buses and rushed through the night having foreseen the catastrophe, he under bombardment to the frontier. tried in vain to take part in the de-. The Polish Government will to-morfence of his country, but this most row have a considerable army. The formidable and most respected op- first divisions are now being formed ponent of the 'regime was denied "somewhere in France." Since the even the right to heroism. Three beginning of hostilities, several tens times during the brief war General of thousand of Poles living in France Sikorski crossed the lines in search have joined up as volunteers, and of a command. He was finally pre- will be followed shortly by their comvented from going by 'plane to be- patriots living in other countries. sieged Warsaw.

Yet so many hopes had for so long been centered in him, for General Sikorski, who was the true reorganiser of the Polish Army, the victor of the Russo-Polish war, who had inflicted a decisive defeat on the army of General Budienny, had also proved himself to be a statesman. Francesco Tomasini, Italian Minister to Poland, in his book: "The Rosurrection of Poland" wrote of him: "According to all foreigners familiar with conditions in Poland, and who can be regarded as impartial observers, the Ministry presided over by Sikoraki was, taking it all round, the best which the country had known since 1918. But General Sikorski made the mistake of thinking that his honest, impartial policy, which was prompted by the highest interests of his country, would shield him. from the intrigues of Parliamentary groups. He laid down the reins of form. power, with head high, a clear conscience, and a prestige which makes him one of those men in whom Poland places her most legitimate of their features is striking.

When he reached Paris after the defeat of Poland, General Sikorski thought only of saving what could be saved from the catasptrophe, of rallying round him all the living forces of the country, and of forging a weapon which would be able to take part in the great struggle for the liberation of his country from the invaders. This distinguished soldier, of whom one of the most famous chiefs of the French army said that and yet love liberty.

ment without territory is not a phan- of his country, is now clasped round bidden.

Germany is suicide for Poland," have in a large measure been saved, World-famous airmen, humble infantrymen, lads of seventeen who are already soldiers broken to anonymous Heroes, have one common aim, to avenge the fate of their own folk, and but one hope, to free

General Sikorskl recently visited the camp where volunteers are being trained. It is a corner of Poland in deep voice carried to the four cornthe heart of France. The flag with ners of the parade-ground without the white eagle on a red background the aid of loud speakers. It was an floats out as if in the air of Poland, unusual exhortation, at a moment On the brown earth, covered with without precedent. He spoke to them sparse tufts of damp grass, recruits 'not only of the sacrifice which all were carrying out firing practice, leaders ask in the name of things General Sikorski stopped by the side more precious than life itself. He of one of the machine-gunners, bent did not only remind them that they over him, knelt, and, putting his two had to save the honour of their counarms on either side of him, quietly try and that "the whole world will corrected the aim, rather like a father who patiently guides the hand of his He also told them of the need for son through the strokes of the first written words the child tries to

Among the new recruits there are a number of miners. The similarity similarity results from their trade rather than from their origin—they have all the same cautious expression, their eyes peering from under their low brows. Hard faces which look still more pallid by the side of the red, weather-beaten faces of the farm hands who come from all corners of France, and some of whom speak with the raciest of southern accents. They rub shoulders with bespectacled intellectuals, with factory hands, with tailors' sons from the social justice," he declared. He asked he was not only the best Polish gen- ghettes of Paris. The "horizon blue" it of them and promised it them. eral, but also ranked among the best uniform has merged all classes in "My words are not of those which generals of Europe, belongs to the one. Quiside the officers' mess a pri- are carried away by the wind. What category—rure in the world of to-day vate was standing at the salute, a 'I promise, that I perform!" -of men who are both strong-willed wide cap above his wind-tanned, A new Poland is rising on the smiling face. Those present were not horizon. Martyred Poland, the Poland When he took office at a tragic mo- a little surprised to see General which has so often fallen and as often ment, addressing himself to all Poles - Sikoraki stride up to him and give risen from its ashes, who moves us scattered throughout the world, he him a vigorous handshake. It was M. as the victim of age-old injustices, promised to rebuild a Poland which Lipski, the former Polish ambassador is in truth the Poland of the history should be just and fair to. all its in Berlin, who had asked permission books. But from the mistakes and citizens, without distinction. Now, to enlist as a private. After years deficiencies of the past, beyond the inspired by him, Poland, yet once spent amongst the Nazi leaders, he immediate aims of the war, rises the again in the course of history, is is renewing his existence in the hard vision of a better world. massing in exile. Once again, across life of a soldier amidst his own peo- World copyright 1939 by "Sunday the centuries, Poland is living a pro- ple. His alender hand, which had so Herald" and Co-operation. Reproduc-

"THE policy of closer relations with tont Government. Her resources his rifle, as if it preferred this contact to that of the flabby grasp of

In close ranks, without arms and without music, the troops marched past General Sikorski in perfect step, as if the rhythm had welded into one all individual destinies. The General reviewed them on the wide paradeground. In the tradition of all great army chiefs, he had kindly words for the men, spoken to one and another, here and there, in the simple way of those with great authority. His glance was perhaps more piercing, and he seemed to read the depths of their minds. His long experience as a soldier has given him confidence in the abilities of his people. What he seemed to be asking himself as he scrutinised the fixed expression, of the faces before him was what measure of sacrifice his countrymen would be ready to give.

He addressed the troops and his to-morrow be witness to their acts." nutional unity, which must wipe out the errors of the past. Here was something even greater than the call to make the final sacrifice. Emotion sprang to life in the faces before him, something seemed to be wrung from their hearts, muscles worked and eyes grow bright. He spoke to thousands of men and yet it was an intimate talk with each one of them. in which he divined their innermost sorrows and raised their highest

"Let us be brothers!" he said, "not only brothers in the struggle, not only equals in sacrifice!" He did not only ask them to restore their country to freedom. "You must restore

visional existence. But her Govern- often clasped that of the executioner tion in whole or part strictly for-

ANOTHER NAZI "SECRET" WEAPON

## 2,000 Pound Bomb

[SPECIAL TO "SUNDAY HERALD"]

Berlin, Yesterday.

The Germans now claim to be using, for the first time, a 2,000-pound explosive bomb capable of sinking a cruiser or even a battleship with one hit.

The new weapon, it is said, is now being brought into use in order to convince Italy and Spain that nir power is superior to sea power and that the Royal Navy is no long-

er invincible. "According to German sources, the explosive is powerful enough to plerce the heaviest armour-plating, and the bombs are dropped from specially-designed 'planes.--Havas.

### TWO MEN: WE DO SEE LIFE

London, Yesterday. Thirty-eight officers and men of the British steamer, Swainby, ar rived at a northern port yesterday. The U-boat which attacked was never seen by the men of the Swainby which sank in eight minutes.

The master of the vessel was torpedeed a couple of months ago and one of her firemen was a Graf Spee prisoner.-British Wireless.

### MADRID DISCOVERS A DAGGER

[SPECIAL TO "SUNDAY HERALD"] left last night at short notice be-Berlin, Yesterday. Prominence is given in the Ger- cause, in the words of the official mun press to an editorial in a Ma- Nazi news agency, of the "hostile drid paper saying that Gibroltar is attitude of the Norwegian King and "like a dagger piercing the heart of Government towards Germany."--every Spaniard."-Havas.

## RODNEY BOMB INCIDENT

Lesson For Naval Experts On Air Warfare



which made a forced landing on the Island of Lagland in Den-**SCHARNHORST** mark after the Scaps Flow Raid. The Germans declared that the REPORT NOT aircraft was on a training flight, but the bullet holes found in it proved that it had been in CONFIRMED action and must have been on its return from Scaps. Note the Chamberiain umbreils decors-

(SPECIAL TO "SUNDAY HERALD")

known in London of the report

on the Norwegian coast,

that the Scharnhorst is aground

It is emphasised that the only

reliable information regarding

German losses is contained in

communiques issued by the Ad-

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GIVEN PAPERS

Berlin, Yesterday.

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miralty in London .- Havas.

Official naval circles reposted to-day that nothing is

London, Yesterday.

## Analysis Of Battle Results Off Norway

London, Yesterday. THE EFFICIENCY OF air attacks on warships is a question which has excited considerable controversy in years of peace and any evidence provided by the experience of the present war is eagerly scanned by experts.

The issue has the widest implications and this lends special interest to well-informed analysis of the causes of destruction of or damage to

naval units in recent activity.

not hit.

On the other hand, attacks by submarine, surface craft, mine and land

The period covered is April 8 to | batteries have, if Norwegian claims are included, resulted in the sinking One German cruiser, two German of three German cruisers, eight Gerdestroyers, one British battleship and man destroyers and three British desone British cruiser were hit by troyers, while hits were secured on bombs, and two British cruisers one German battleship, one German were also very slightly damaged by pocket-battleship, three Germen desflying bomb splinters, but they were troyers (later sunk), one British cruiser and five British destroyers. STRIKING FACTS

Thus air attack sank two and hit five vessels, whereas other forms of attack sank fourteen and hit eleven. An incident of considerable significance was the hit by a very heavy bomb on the battleship Rodney which, thanks to her very strong deck armour, did very slight damage. The explosion did not affect the vessel in any way except for injury to four officers and three men.

It also interesting to note that in cruiser sustained damage, no less than 115 bombs were dropped. Another arresting comparison is that whereas the German air arm only sank one British destroyer, British. A real "tubby"-in the words of The officer in charge were ski- warships sank one German cruiser

THE ANSWER Naval circles point out that these figures merit special attention in view of the heavy destruction wrought on the German Air Arm.

The figures cited here may be relied upon and they provide the answer to the attempts of Nazi pro-Mr. Churchill, First Lord of the pagenda to suggest that the German British Navy.

This pretension is supported by wildly exaggerated reports of British losses at sea. The frantic anxicty of the Nazi Government to obtain acceptance abroad for this claim is shown by resort to the falsifleation of Admiral Stark's report to the Naval Affairs Committee of the United States House of Representa-

NAZI VERSION-AND THE

AMERICAN The Admiral was alleged to have suid: "Latest encounters between Allied warships and German bombers clearly show that German bombers are more effective than warships." What Admiral Stark actually said, York Times" was, "Air power has not seriously affected Brilish control of the sea lanes of the world. After The British pilot saw the German seven months of war, in which the machine some miles out at sea. The immediate major objectives has bomber fied eastwards and the Bri- been the reduction of British sea tish pilot pursued it for 20 miles, strength, relatively small damage during which time he elimbed to has been done by air attack from the German advance bases, located from He then dived and opened fire 480 to 560 miles from the British Fleet bases. It is British prepon-Describing the fight when he got derance in naval power that has gained control of scaborne trade and "I think the starboard engine was denied this trade to Germany." -

### Fleet Air Arm's Successes

[SPECIAL TO "SUNDAY HERALD"] London, Yesterday. In connection with the extensivo activities of the Fleet Air Arm in and around Norway, it is pointed out that not a single 'plane has been lost and that only one member of the crews has lost his life.—Reuter.

# ITALY

Rome, Yesterday. .The information is gradually leaking out in Italy that the invasion of Norway was a costly blunder for

It is also being realised gradually that Germany is doing her utmost to convince the Italian people that her air arm is superior to sen-power for two very good reasons a large proportion of the German commercial fleet is at the bottom of tho sea and the German Navy itself is

seriously crippled. The "Glornale d'Italia" denies roports that Italy might make, a demarche to Britain about the extension of the Allied blockade and the activities of the United Kingdom Commercial Corporation in the Balkans.-Reuter.

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'They came onto the Horse Guards' Parade in two lines, some in "lammies," some in sea-boots, some without hats, and some in Norwegian caps and jackets.

The Norwegian Envoy to Berlin

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one announcer, "20 stone if an acid ing clothes. drop"—especially amused the crowd The men formed three sides of a with his lumberjacket and baggy hollow square.

They were not particularly smart, but that is understandable; most sailors walk with a roll, and in their quaint mixture of uniforms and clothes, some of them positively waddled!

Admiralty, and Admiral Sir Dudley | Air Force holds a mustery over the Pound, First Sea Lord, inspected them, after which Mr. Churchill addressed them .-- Reuter.

## SHETLAND RAIDER DRIVEN OFF

London, Yesterday.

A German bomber which tried to approach the Shetlands was driven off and badly damaged by a singleengined British fighter according to the report of the New plane which was on lone

home, he said:hit, by the way the 'plane went zig- British Wireless. zugging away, losing height. When I last saw him, he was only 1500 feet up and hundreds of miles from home."-Reuter.

The "Sun Mun Pao" pub- FINDING tivities of the local anti- OUT FACTS British committee during

March. Fifty different stores received a visit from the committee enquiring into stocks of British goods, two Chinese landlords were warned not to renew the leases with British tenants, and 21 Chinese employees in Hitler. British firms were asked to

their employers. Until now the committee has suceceded in turning three British tenants out of Chinese-owned houses occupied by them.—Havas.

London, Yesterday. According to authoritative circles, no news has been received of crew of the British destroyer, Hunter, sunk in the first attack on Narvik, and it is foured there are no survivors.—British Wireless

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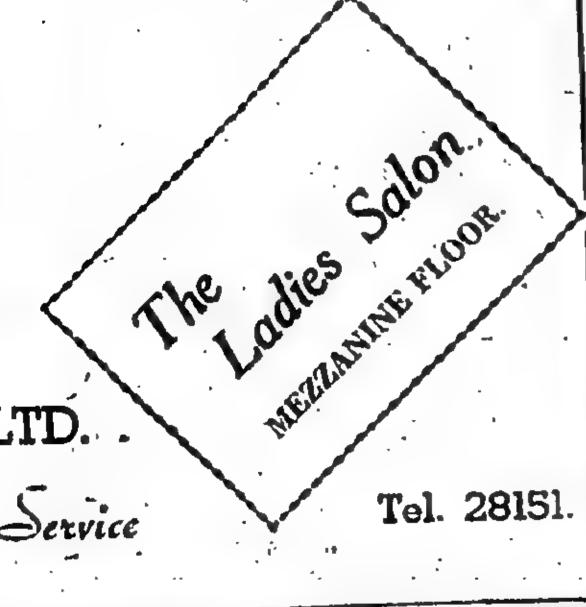


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WE must first be clear as to what we mean by winning the war. and it is necessary to distinguish carefully between military and political victory.

A military victory consists in achieving a state of affairs in which the German High Command surrenders unconditionally. It has the advantage of enabling a political victory to be achieved with certainty. But it does not guarantee a political victory, and unless care is taken, It may place certain obstacles in the way of ensuring political victory.

In order to understand why it is possible to win the war in a military sense and yet lose it politically, it is necessary to define our political objectives in this struggle. They can, I suggest, be summed up in the following sentence: The Allies wish to West Front is a dublous operation. that striking power of the Air Force, of international relations which will

We may logitimately hope that this period will be long enough to allow the forces of international.co-operation to become so strong that war as at sea and these may require bomb- properly integrated and efficiently ereign states will become obsoletebut that is a thought for the future.

moved from Europe?' Will the military defeat of Germany ensure this purpose being achieved? The story of 1919 to 1939 gives a

nocking answer. Some people will say "The results vill be different if the military defeat of Nazi Germany is followed by the permanent maintenance of Allied superlority over Germany by garrisons, by splitting Germany into States, or such like measures,"

But when the Allies have achieved military victory, and it will be a costly task in blood and treasure, will our young men and their parents be prepared to make the necessary sacrifices to hold down Germany crue" to the Ailles before we are in for ten, fifteen, or twenty years?

I have defined the Allied objectives in modest terms as compared with large schemes such as Federal Union, because all these more ambitious proposals can only come into being although it undoubledly causes grave after a period of peace

A pence dependent solely upon an affirmative answer to this question would be on frall foundations,

Within five years from the imposition of the most stringent terms on Germany, a revisionist movement would be gathering strength, and the less successful it was to begin with, the more the flames of a roviving German nationalism would be fed. The argument can be summed up

us follows: (a) Our political objective is a stable and enduring peace. (b) No peace can hope to be should prove to be correct? stable and enduring if its principles are regarded as unjust by 70 million

WE are now in a position to turn. to the military possibilities. Any attempt to analyse the strategical problem which confronts the Allied Supreme War Council must be founded on certain assumptions. Hitler might attack in the West, possibly

by way of the Low Countries. Or,

Germans.

Hitler having caused a diversion in Scandinavia may attack the Balkans, These are all possible assumptions, which would produce situations for which plans are needed, and no doubt have been prepared, but they do not exhaust the list, nor do they include the assumption which I hold to be not unlikely. It is prudent in war to assume that the enemy will behave in the manner most likely to make it difficult for us to defeat him, It is the problem of how the Allies are to win the war in these circumstances that will now be exam-

It should be remembered that Hit- France and Great Britain. The quesler has won a remarkable series of tion in the mind of the man in the bloodless campaigns. It is worth street, and also in the mind of the recalling the technique adopted in young soldier, will be as follows, many may be necessary in Phase III the case of the Rhineland re-occupa- "We have been at war for a year, of the war. The Allies must watch | tion, the amexation of Austria and Great efforts have been made to closely what happens in Germany the seizure of Czechoslovakia, to build up our strength. A second during Phase II.

masterly proportions a display of centrating upon getting stronger and force with energetic propaganda stronger without any clear idea of amongst his prospective victims and how this strength is to be used to their friends.

The object of war is often defined as being that of imposing one's will the Government realise that there is

given a wider meaning than it has raise fifty-five divisions, and create hitherto carried. It stunds in most a huge Navy and Air Force. Then peoples' minds for a forceful action. what?" It is exceedingly important It also means "to put a thing upon to have an answer ready for these person by faise representations." Hitler is, in fact, a clever impostor and imposer.

But the object of war can also, and more accurately, be given a wider a state of deadlock, we must argue meaning, and be described as that of as follows. Phase I of the war is "persuading" the enemy to adopt a over. We are now absolutely secure certain view-point or conclusion.

Hitler's technique—as one can de—is secure behind our defences. We duce from Mein Kampf, was largely enter Phase II. This phase is not influenced by the success of British the violent imposition of our will on propaganda in 1917-18. In the the enemy. That would be Phase victories mentioned above, Hitler suc- III. It may never be necessary. ceeded in creating a division of opin- . In Phase II was must remember

Was it or was it not worth a war? lived and worked behind their do-That was the question which for- fences. Lived, and worked with mented and divided the civilised their ums at their side, the

In the case of Puland, he went too approach of barbaric hordes.... for and too fast, The Poles fought and the Allies declared war.

This article has been written as a contribution to thought on the study of total war in general and this one in particular. It deals with one of several possible developments in this war. I have selected that possible development which I believe most probable, i.e. the case in which Hitler does his utmost to remain on the defensive. Some people may argue that in this case the Allies must attack. If maintenance and intensification of the Blockade is what they mean, I agree: if large scale aerial bombardment is also in their minds I have little faith in this method of attempting to reach a decision. If they mean that the Allies must declare war on Russia, I do not agree that this is a sensible method of try-

our Maginot Line, behind the defen-

life as possible.

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(a) As already explained, it is

(b) A "blood-bath" military vic-

going to be technically difficult and [5

expensive to achieve a "blood-bath"

tory may make a good peace impos-

sible. It will certainly make it dim-

til the important requirement of

winning the war and the peace by one

simultaneous operation, if a "blood-

(d) The strategy outlined in this

(e) If victory in this war can be

achieved by these methods, it will

be a new thing in history, and men

will have discovered that as between

great industrial states, total war has

totalitarianised itself out of existence,

by becoming ridiculous, absurd, and

# do not rule out the possibility that

I recognise that I may be misun-

technically impossible.

bath" dominates the programme.

article will gain neutral support.

(c) It is almost impossible to ful-

What are we to do now? It is improbable that we can initiate and keeping the blockade in being, operations in Balkans or the Near we should organise our resources so remove the menace of war from East if Hitler gives us no excuse for as to live as full a life, as civilised a

ing to destroy Hitlerism.

We must of course continue to ex- This period may last three years ert all our efforts to perfect our de- or longer. I estimate that 30 per fensive and offensive arrangements cent. of the productive effort of a ing attacks on German naval bases co-ordinated France and Great Britand acrodromes. We should enden- ain (an Anglo-French communante) vour to persuade the Turks to allow would be sufficient to provide a How is the menace of war to be re- us to operate in the Black Sea. Can defence effort which would be adewe achieve a decision against Ger- quate to repel any attack on our many by independent air action on position. German industrial areas and internal communications? This must communaute would be the main be a matter of opinion.

Air-action alone can only produce side during Phase II. It would lay decisive results when one side ob- the foundation for a new Europe.

## STEPHEN KING-HALL

tains complete superiority of the air, as well as in the air.

A great many planes must "acthat position vis-a-vis Germany. The blockade, for reasons which are well known and which need not be claof the harsher of its features. borated, may not produce decisive results for a very long time to come. inconvenience to Germany,

Furthermore, the blockade may have an influence on Hitler as to whether or not be will try to open up the war. Unless he anticipates that the blockade will become decisive, he must take account of the fact that an offensive on the Western Front, or large scale operations in South-Eastern Europe, would inovitably cause an expenditure of material which the blockade will make it difficult to replace. "

What are we to do if the forecast outlined, above of Hitler's Intentions The problem-will, present itself to

the Allies in the following form. We shall find ourselves on the first the measures suggested in Phuse I anniversary of the war faced with a question on the home, fronts of of all forms of military action i

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mention his three successful limited winter draws near. Have our Governments got any plan for beating The Nazi aggressor combined in the Germans?. Or are they just conobtain victory?"

Thoughtful people will ask: "Does on the enemy. The fighting is only an optimum strength beyond which we cannot go? We cannot go fur-But the word "impose" must be ther in Great Britain than (say) questions.

IT is suggested that if we reach the

ion in France and Great Britain on that during the greater part of recordell history, civilised men have men and caused democracy to hesit- watchmen on the ramparts, scanning the horizon for a sign of the

We therefore recognise that thi state of affairs exists again. Behind

derstood by those who can only conceive of war as being a series of organised massacres. I may even be told I ain pro-German. The remarks still being made about me in the German press and radio by the gangsters who now rule Germany show that the Nazis are under no misapprehension as to my views about them-views I have held and expressed since 1934. Hitterism must go, either with or without the assistance of the German nation. Its passing will be more permanent if it is overthrown from within as well as from without.

\* The Allies are still far from realising what a vital and perhaps decisive part a well organised Ministry of Information could do to schieve\_victory in total war.

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# Anglo-French Communities In Big

Members of the crew of H.M.S. Seamew who put on a comic football match in Shameen for the war ambulance drive, seen march-

## Splendid Start Red Cross Fund Appeal

AN INTERESTING DEMONSTRATION OF WHAT CAN BE ACHIEVED BY ALLIED CO-OPERA-TION IS TAKING PLACE IN SHAMEEN.

A few French and British members of that small bombshocked community recently got together and decided that something must be done by the Community to help the people at home in their War Efforts.

For a time, it was a puzzle to agree what form the effort should take. At last it was brilliantly conceived that, by the presentation of one or more Ambulances to the Allied Red Cross organisation, a maximum of value in contribution could be made.

This conception had a four-fold The Dutch Government decided to value, it gave non-participants an reclaim the land under the Zuyder easy opportunity to contribute and of the Red Cross organisation, the This dam keeps out the salt water inscription on the Ambulance "Prepropaganda, it afforded an excellent Thus year by year as the salt water exhibition of allied unity of purpose even in distant lands, an effect which both home Governments would surely appreciate. Such a strong appeal could not fail to obtain a contribution from all sections of the com-

PLACE OF GAIETY

A large energetic Committee under the Chairmanship of Dr. R. L. Lancaster is very active putting ideas into practice.

Many events are being arranged. Dunces, Fairs, Shows, Dinners are to occur so that during the next few weeks Shameen will be a place of

A big event, to be held at the Canton Club, is arranged for May 4th. foodball match,-a very successful nearly two thousand dollars." event ably organised by Lt. Com. M. R. Murch. A large and humorous variety of costumes were been.

themselves dressed as Zulus, Red In- give you a run for your money." dians, demure maidens, cowboys, old This might or might not be the true ladies, cupids, and the "Hello Baby, story, but to-day there is a reprehow's Nurse" outfit. Even the ship's sentative committee comprising both thoroughbred dog Fido wore his own communities under the patronage of get-up in allied colours.

hold to the complete dismay of the is sufficient to raise a fleet of Amother. On the "touch" lines, collec- bulances, if South China can protions were made by the performers vide the funds. with the usual humour and banter, realising the handsome sum of \$300. The event wound up by a march round the field to the tunes of a

morning of characteristic French Last week the Officers and men of dynamism, the Frenchman called up

Lt. Commdr. and Mrs. M. R.

Murch enjoying the fun.

The Briton, taken aback by the speed of action congratulated him on his 'Initiative, and said, "Well" you The sailors thoroughly enjoyed have stolen my thunder, but 'I will

the Consuls-General. The appeal is A tug of War reached a climax being conducted on the lines of a when one side suddenly released their | National campaign, the organisation

## SLOGANISING

At the central organisation there Comic Band and the singing of is host of departments, Publicity,



Parade Shun! The Seamew's crew ready for the march past!

ended at the Sailor's Conteen where dination, Drinks. the sailors took a long and well eurned rest. APOCALYPTIC?

Enquiry as to how this patriotic effort originated revealed that a Briton and a Frenchman in conversation at a cocktail party, were both bemoaning that they were not permitted active participation, when the Briton remarked, "We ought to collect or do something." In reply, the Frenchman exclaimed in rapid English "I know-we will give an Am-"What are you going to use moncy?" asked the Briton. "I'll give | ahead in contributions but the Bria hundred dollars," said the French- tish are just bringing their big guns man. "So will I," returned the Bri- into action. All British Institutions ton. "I know some other people who and principal British firms have been will give a hundred dollars," C)(= claimed the Frenchman. After a sympathetic support.

spread more hate than anyone class in this country. "He aims to' replace the present

after the Hitler regime, "I charge him with being the motivating force behind the Fascistic desires on the part of Army men like "Pelley is a Jew-baiter and a self- General Mosley to lead revolt."-

"Keep the home fires burning" and | Shows and Competitions, Collections other wartime songs. The procession Lotteries and Auctions, Food, Co-or-A mixture of French and British

slogans are heard. "Your mouth won't destroy Hitlerism, Try dollars." "Insure your job, your money and your life. Give your dollars." "It is a great cause, not a school treat." "Fight for your own preservation. If you chn't use guns, use dollars." "Do your bit, Donate your bit. Don't lean on others. Do it now." Things French and British are at stake. "Pay and preserve." "Your kith and kin get bombs, blackouts, short rations, and pay. What are you doing?" "Pay, Pay, Pay, and by happy."

The French community is still well usked to give the movement their

It is expected that Shameen Municipal Council and other British bodies will double any of their previous patriotic allocations. It is also understood that some big British and Neu-Government with one patterned tral firms have already promised sub-

stantial sums. "Latest news is that the Officers and men of H.M.S. "Scamew" have arranged a two days' show of Boxing, Comic Boxing and Tombola to be held in the Canton Theatre.

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Key to the whole system is a threemiles-wide belt of low-lying land which runs north to south like a ribbon across the centre of Holland.

This beit of land is bounded on the of the North Sea. The belt stretches | sluices of our own canals. from Amsterdam to Utrecht, then south-east to the Rhine and the

This entire tract is drained by a in War. network of canals linking great nat-

ural lakes. These canals all run into the Vecht river, which flows down the centre of the three-miles tract till it empties

northern end of it. The Zuyder Zee itself is a sea no longer. In the past 20 years it has become a great fresh-water lake. It happened this way.

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Zec. As a first step they construct- do their bit towards War prosecution. ed a great dam, called the Alfsluit- it contributed to the humane work dlik, across the mouth of it.

from the sea beyond while the Zuy- sented by the British and French der Zee within is steadily fed by communities of South China" would the fresh water of the River Vecht be a valuable contribution to Allied and its canals.

evaporates, to be replaced by the fresh water from the river, the salt content of the Zuyder Zee has becomes less and less till it has dwindled to vanishing point.

Meanwhile, the flow of fresh water has had to be regulated by a comcust—the German side—by rising plicated system of locks and sluices country; on the west by the dykes | that works in exactly the same way and dunes that hold back the waters as the locks on the Thames and the These works were devised in Peace

for Peace. Yet they have given Holland a perfect system of defence What, then, would happen on the

approach of an invading army? First, the sluice gates along the Vecht would be thrown open. The river would rise over its banks and itself into the Zuyder Zee at the seep down over the surrounding H.M.S. "Seamew" put on a Comic the Briton, and said, "I've collected

> Then the sluice gates on all the canals that feed the Vecht would be opened so that their water, too, would come pouring over its banks and all the natural lakes between the canals would be extended til gradually they spread across the whole tract of country.

Then the dykes at the mouth of the Vecht would be swiftly breached. Gates would open in them; stretches of them would be blown away, for these dykes are simply banks clay on a foundation of sand. And

they are already mined. Then the Zuyder Zee would come

flowing in. The water of the Zuyder Zee, the water of the River Vecht, the water of its canals, and the water of the natural lakes would all converge till that whole tract of country from the Zuyder Zee to the River Meuse would be under one great sheet of

And a great barrier of fresh water three miles wide would be across the track of the invader.

No army could cross that save by swimming, and mechanised armies can't swim.

Had Holland been invaded in the last war none of this could have been done. For the drainage works of the Zuyder Zee had not been started then. That sea still had a strong salt content, and you cannot flood a country with salt water and recover from the effects in less than ten years.

Thus Holland's peaceful drainage projects have added to her defence They say if you want Peace prepare for War. But Holland has been made ready for War by preparing

for Peace. George Edinger.

## PLANNED TO BECOME KING OF U.S.

[SPECIAL TO "SUNDAY HERALD"]

New York, Yesterday.

A spectacular plan to overthrow the United States Government by a bulance to the Allied Red Cross." march on Washington and then declare himself King of America is alleged against William Dudley Pelley. leader of the United States Silver Shirt Fascist organisation. In evidence before the Martin Dies

Committee investigating un-American activities in the States, Representative Samuel Dickstoin, of New York, declared that Pelley was connected with a number of Army officers of Fascist tendencies, Their alm, said Representative

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## After The War: New League Of Nations?

## Problems Nations

The present upheaval in world affairs demonstrates more clearly than ever before that small nations cannot hope to preserve their independence as isolated units.

The League of Nations (or a similar Institution) was and is an absolute necessity if the principles of freedom which existed in the past are to be maintained in the present.

It is evident that the modern weapons and especially the new-arm--the bomber and the fighter-give a far wider range of power to the nation possessing them in great quantitles, than was the case before: so long as the path of conquest was nations refrain from attack. What we are witnessing to-day is something entirely new. It was not dif-

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far superior to that which prevailed lacking and so replaced the self-plty before as, for example, in Ashanti by self-glorification. when human sacrifices were the order of the day.

Not For

Exploitation

The British colonial empire has brought prosperity, security and justice to native people who certainly were not in enjoyment of these conditions before. Backward races hard and dangerous, so long did the needed the guidance and protection of those who had advanced along the path of civilisation somewhat further. It was not for exploitation ficult to extend national power at the but development, for mutual advanexpense of primitive tribes or more tage that such control was exercised. or less unarmed and backward peo- We are witnessing to-day something ple, and if the new control meant quite different-something that is higher standards, and more humane rather staggering, namely the subconditions such methods were entire- jugation of races in Europe with ly justified. Most people would long and honoured traditions-naagree that the position in East and tions which have contributed more sation than the conquerors them- remains that the people of Polane

tion possible?

of being despised. Every English traveller who

train to Heldleberg from Munich in winning the war for Germany. 1938, saying that his birthplace was one of the Hanscatic towns where the outlook is so liberal and the people are so closely related to the English by race and also by trade. He claimed that these people were I far more cultured than the Prussians and more virile than those of the South.

The German Mentality

Syour public school system into Ger- ment for survival- is the one least Zmany. We are trying to train char- worthy. Sacter instead of merely imparting knowledge." Sir Nevile Henderson Wust Link Up Springs this as part of German Or Perish mentality out in his latest book and so does Harold Nicolson in his book "Why Britain is at War."

sary to re-establish her prestige, They must link up or perish. tening speeches. Germany's condi- the possibility that the finger of condition has been followed by a ger is so great that their security is flamboyant parade of force, by no insurable, as the premium is thysteria and finally a demand for far too high. action to prove that Germany is not Where then does duty lie? It is an insignificant lance-corporal in too late for the small nations of the army of European powers, but Austria, Czecho-Slovakia, Poland a full blown field marshal. This and Denmark to do anything. There promotion in dignity could only be are others however which should gained by a victory on the field of take warning and line up, if they battle, and the surest method of wish to escape the fate of these. winning that success was to choose Had the League of Nations func-Polund served the purpose admir- tuent members realised that the aswas bound to be successful!

West Africa, under British rule is Germany that confidence that was to come in and make use of theirs

Sudden, Spectacular

The advance into Denmark into Norway is in keeping with the psychological state of Germany. is suddon, spectacular, defles international rules, shocks everyone much of their energies to social and is skilfully carried out.

time because of their comparative There is also the economic urge, the scramble for wealth, the demand defencelessness. for raw materials and for markels. There is the demand, strangely grave danger of isolation in the moenough, for slave labour. It is not dorn world. The British Common-

BY "CIVIS"

selves. It is the same in the Far are to-day in precisely the same East, where an attempt is being position as those Helots were who made to control a mighty nation of were conquered by the Spartans. 450 millions who have quite obvious- They are without liberty, without ly done more for the civilisation of rights, exposed to the most degradman than those who are seeking to ing insults and reduced to forced labour. But Poland is no worse off force. What makes this astounding situa- than Czecho-Slovakia, and now Denmark has joined the slave gang. In I think that the most distinctive former days nations took possesnote in Germany before this war sion of countries to ruin the status of broke out, was a deep sense—it was natives, nowaday Germany conquers really pronounced, and widespread- civilised people to lower their

Danish people have to become the mingled with the Germans at all, hewers of wood and drawers of especially the educated Germans, water or purveyors of fats while encountered this feeling. I remem- she herself becomes extremely lean. ber a professor, a specialist in chil- Her country is to be denuded of all dren's diseases, travelling on the that can contribute in any way to

It is not so much the destruction in the north of Germany in Bremen, of property or the transfer of it that matters, it is something for more serious. It is the extension of the slave spirit which impoverishes Denmark, and brutalises Germany. It means that no nation now, however important can survive that does not specialise in the most effective way of killing its neighbours. It would be far too dangerous to divert energy from the primary business of preserving the State to pursuing This, however, was far from be- those pleasanter tasks in creative ing an isolated case. In discussing art, literature, poetry and social and criticising the new education betterment for which the state ought programme with an educationist in to be preserved. That is the tragic Berlin, the latter closed all further paradox. The nation that can best argument by saying to me "Well, survive in modern times—assuming after all, we are trying to introduce that brute force is the best instru-

In the modern world then there is no room whatever for the small Germany then has found it neces- independent and isolated nations.

which suffered so severely in 1918. They have not done so because of That has been the keynote of all the incapacity of the people to these preparations and parades, these visualise either the present position congresses at Nuremburg, and threa- or the future. There is, each hopes, stion as a nation has been patholo- death will not be pointed at them gical; depression, melancholia, mor- by the aggressor, Germany. Experibid interest in her own political ence, however, teaches that the dan-

an opponent that was small enough. tioned as it ought, had the constiably, for every inch of the ground sault on one of them was the prethad been prepared, and a blitzkrieg lude to an attack upon the others had they envisaged this clearly and Two bloodless conquests followed been convinced, then Europe should Germany became aggressive. Only in that way would Germany have been restrained. Nations, however, are naturally loth to go to war for other nations, and are incapable of appreciating the danger of not doing so. Thus is the path of the aggressor made casy.

> It is obvious that Europe cannot be reconstituted on the old lines when Nazism is wiped out by Britain and France. It is not so much the idealism of Strelt that will bring about the Union of the states of Europe, it is the fear of national enslavement that will compel it.

The British Empire and France can hardly be expected in the future to pour out blood and treasure for small European states if they themselves will not make any contribution to the cause. It is not reasonable to expect Australia, New Zealand, Canada and other dominions to come from the furthest end of the earth to wage these wars of liberation if nations who are much more endangered than they are will take no precautions.

Logical Outcome

The League of Nations was the logical and not the idealistic

emotional response to the last war It was the guarantee that lay behind the treaty of Versailles, Strong nations are safe for they are capable of keeping war out of their territory, but small unarmed nations offer an open invitation to strong neighbours for waging it. Germany sets up an army and an air force and builds the Siegfried Line.' France does the same only she calls her defence the Maginot Line. Britain likewise keeps the invader at arms length without difficulty but the small neu-It trals who are to be envied in peace time because they can devote so development are to be pitled in war

Every one now recognizes the easy to believe this, but the fact wealth of Nations has set an example of the wisdom of this voluntary cooperation in order to meet this danger. We see the United States acting as a protective parent to the whole of the American Continent. The principle of collective security for which the League stood is as necessary to ensure the survival of the small nations which are so frequently the seats of liberalism, as It is for the defence of the world against such forces as Nazism. The League however whatever form it takes will have to be backed by

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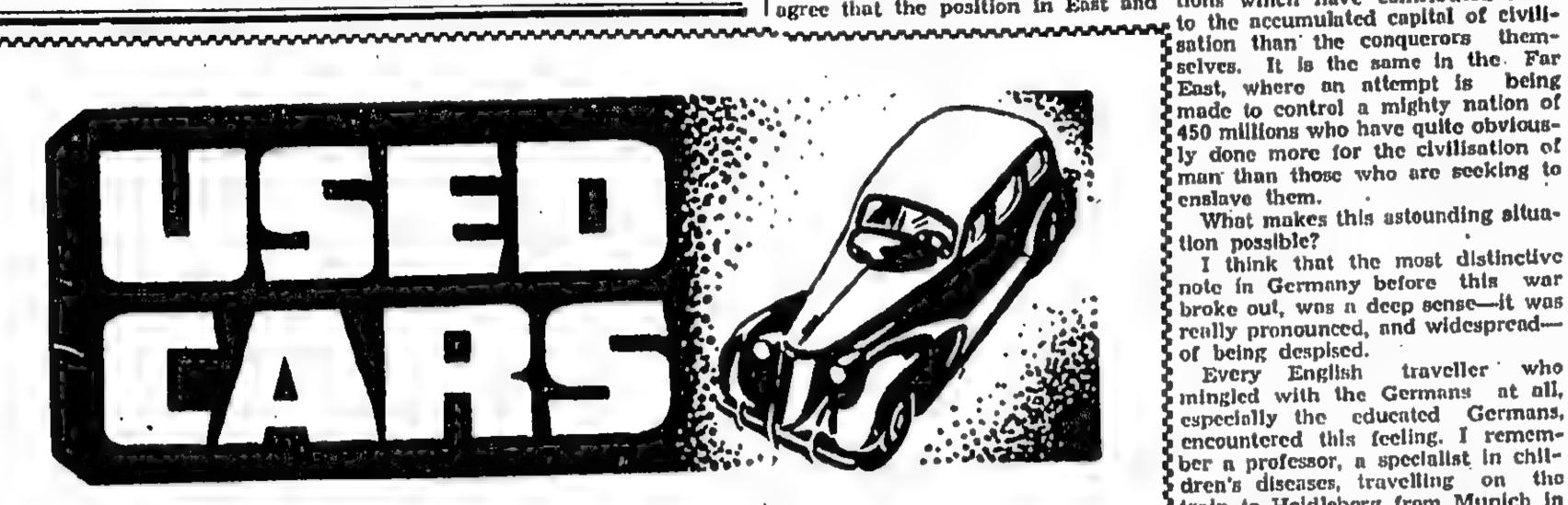
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## DANISH AND NORWEGIAN SHIPS H.K. BOUND

Alter the transport of the transport of

Shanghai, Yesterday. Several Danish and Norwegian vessels have left Shanghai for Hong Kong, disregarding their regular trade schedules, it is learn-

Ships of Danish and Norwegian registry are said to have come under control of the British Admiralty and are discontinuing their trade routes and concentrating at Hong. Kong. where they will operate under naval

Two Norwegian ships which were due in Shanghai yesterday have pro- suspended clearing agreements with ceeded to Hong Kong instead. It is Norway and Denmark until further ALSO up to date SAFE DEPOSIT stated they are joining the Flect notice,--Havas, control.—Reuter.

## NAZI WAR FINANCING

[SPECIAL TO "SUNDAY HERALD"] BERLIN, YESTERDAY.

DR. FUNK, REICH MINISTER. FOR ECONOMIC ALFAIRS TOLD SHAREHOLDERS OF THE REICHS-BANK THAT THE OFFICIAL RATE WOULD DIMINISH PRO-GRESSIVELY SO AS TO ALLOW THE GERMAN GOVERNMENT TO

FINANCE THE WAR. There would be no further increases in taxes, he said. Private economy had gained by the rationing of essential commodities, the restriction of production of certain

articles, and other measures. The German citizen, therefore, had more money to spend on other items and one of these could well be war expenditure.—Havas.

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(SPECIAL TO "SUNDAY HERALD") New York, Yesterday. Ex-President Herbert Hoover, writing in Collier's, advocates the recall of the United States Ambassador in Moscow. Mr. Hoover added that recognition of the Soviet Government

was a "gigantic political and

moral mistake."---Havas.

### ARGENTINE GIVING. NOTHING TO NAZIS

[SPECIAL TO "SUNDAY-HERALD"] Buenos Aires, Yesterday. The Argentine Government has

## Dubious About Value Of Concession

"THIS WOULD APPEAR to be a step in the right direction but before the value of the step can accurately be determined, full details of the procedure governing the movements of steamers and the import and export of cargoes, must be examined, as well as the list of detailed restricted and prohibited articles," declares a statement issued by the Canton Foreign Chamber of Commerce in regard to the re-opening of the Pearl River, scheduled for to-day.

opening may prove valueless to

"It is difficult to understand why

merchants are compelled to make

application to the Superintendent

of Customs and to obtain his permission before submitting the re-

lative application to the Commis-

"This regulation is contrary to

established procedure relative to

applications for cargo, and cannot be

"Furthermore, it will involve

traders in a great deal of unneces-

sary work and expense, leading to

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for collection and distribution of

"While the free movement of

cargoes in surrounding districts,

which largely comprise producing

and consuming areas, is restricted,

no resumption of trade in any

"Restoration of Whampon and

other delta ports to the control of

tial to the conduct of normal trade."

export and import merchandise.

volume is expected.

- Router.

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(SPECIAL TO "SUNDAY HERALD")

Harbin, Yesterday. WHILE GERMAN PROPAGANDA continually emphasises the possibilities of supplying the Reich with goods from Manchukuo across the Soviet, it is understood that shipments hitherto have been negligible due to the general disorganisation of Soviet transport, the shortage of rolling-stock and the limited capacity of mind that Canton is mainly a centrethe railroad which is partly taken up by military transportation.

Differences in the gauge necessitates trans-shipment at the Soviet-Manchukuo and Soviet-Polish borders, thus contributing to the diffi-

## culties. HONG KONG STOCK

Following is the list of changes and enquiries in local share quotations issued yesterday:

EXCHANGE

BANK8. Hong Kong Bank \$1505 b., \$1515 r. Bank of East Asia \$73 b. INSURANCES

H.K. Fire Ins. \$171 b. Doughses \$120 sa. H.K. Steamboats \$11 b. DOCKS, WHARVES, GODOWNS

ETC. H.K. Docks cum Rts. \$22 n. -H.K. Docks Ex. Rts. \$19.40 b. Providents \$4.35 b.

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H.K. Tramways \$17% b., \$18 s. H.K. Electrics \$651/2 b., \$653/4 St. Macao Electrics \$221/2 b. Telephones (Old) \$28% b., \$28.70

Telephones (New) \$10.10 b. INDUSTRIALS H.K. Ropes \$51/2 b.

STORES, &C. Dairy Farms \$211/2 b. Watsons \$9.35 b. Wm. Powell, Ltd. \$1 b. MISCELLANEOUS Entertainments \$6.80 b.

LAST DAY'S SALES. 2 H.K. Banks @ \$1505 100 Douglases @ \$120 1.000 Hotels @ \$4% 300 Hotels @ \$4.70. 500 Telephones (Old) @ \$28.70 50 Dairy Farms @ \$21% 100 Watsons @ \$9.35 100 Electrics @ \$65% MANILA SHARES

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German circles in Manchukuo are the Customs is also absolutely essenextremely pessimistic, being of opinion that 18 months' reorganisation work on the Siberian Railway under German supervision is required before sizeable, shipments can get through to the Reich.

Thousands of tone of soys beans are rotting at many Manchukuo producing centres due to the interruption of 'sea shipments to the Reich by the Allied blockade. Foreign demand for soya beans has been further reduced by the invasion of Denmark, which formerly was an important buyer.

Large quantities of goods are awalting railway transport to the

AN ILLUSTRATION

An incident which is perhaps the best illustration of the situation was reported recently when a German photographer arrived in Manchuli to take, propaganda pictures of Manchurian shipments to the Reich.

Unable to secure a picture of goods being loaded, the German trade representatives at Manchuli obtained permission from the authorities to hitch two empty freight-cars to a train bound for the Soviet.

They then took a picture of the cars, their doors sealed and the German destination carefully marked on the side!--Havas.

Batong Buhay Ps. .01 sa. Benguet Consol. Ps. 5.20 sa. Big Wedge Ps. .17 b. Coco Grove Ps. .081/2 b. Consol. Mines Ps. .0025 sa. Demonstrations Ps. .081/2 sa. East Mindanao Ps. .09 sa. 1.X.L. Ps. .31 sa. Ipo Gold Ps. .091/2 sa. Itogons Ps. .20 sa. Masbates Ps. .08 b. Mind. Mother Lode. Ps. .08 b. Mine Operation Ps. .081/2 sa. North Camarines Ps. .047 sa. Paracale Gumaus Ps. .161/2 sa. San Mauricio Ps. .60 sa. Suriguo Consol. Ps. .17 b. Suyoc Consol, Ps. .11 b. Syndicate Inv. Ps. .017 b. United Paracales Ps. .211/2 sa.

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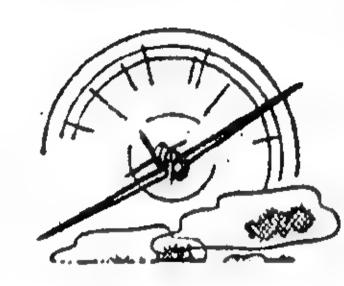
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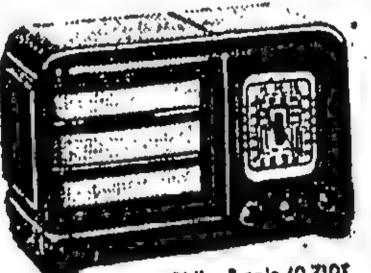
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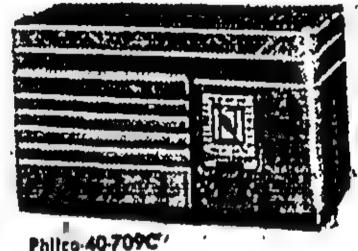
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## LANDINGS CATCHES PUNTERS NAPPING: WINS FAST TIME TO PAY OUT \$100.40

## NEE DA & WEI EACH HAVE 2 WINS

THE Marber stable carried off the St. George's Plate at seriously challenging Eve of Dancing. Hong Kong Jockey Club's Fourth Extra Meeting yes- white Diamond took second place and terday at the Valley. Clember, winner of the Griffins Possible for third place. Hopeful Star fin-Consolation Stakes on the fourth day of the Annual Meeting and then trained especially for this race, literally walked it, winning by six lengths from White Diamond.

when Ellandee's Happy Landings beat Flying Dutchman kinson, president of St. George's Society. by a short head to pay \$100.40, and the Double Smiling Joher set the pace in the first section of Time and Fair Chance—paid \$184.50 for each of the 52 the Mount Davis Handleap, which was unable tickets on it. Only 264 of the total of 2,176 were on Smiling Time.

shoulder injury during the conclud- entrying 166 lb., equalled Racylight's reing stages of the first leg of the later bettered by \$43.20 "Double" and had to be taken from the track in the horse box.

second and a third.

The weather was threatening at ! the commencement, but, after light in the early stages, but Franklin was rain had fallen, it cleared up well at well ahead at the football stands, where 4 p.m. and there was a very satis- Centre Court went into second place. At track in the horse box. It is suffering favourite, was fifth, factory attendance.

Handicap, which attracted 17 starters, but the first five ponies past the post were in the order of their popularity in the betting. Mr. Li Po-chun's Distinctive Time (Mr. Poy) were away to a flying start, ourite for the St. George's Plate, big race more win to graduate from the Novice Hughber, and this order was maintained fidence of its connections, who had especialthroughout. Eve of Folly dead-heating ly reserved the pony for this event. Gowith Gay Star for third place after the ing out in front from the start it set a Canterbury Park Handicap, but it was well latter had at one time appeared likely to fast pace, doing a 1.53 mile and won with- and truly beaten by Weetoo's Fair Chance, displace Ronson, which was six lengths out being extended by six lengths in 2.22 4, which was well ridden by Mr. Proulx and behind the winner.

Lucky's Some Hope sustained a | Distinctive Time's time of 1.04.3 when FRANKLIN WINS EASILY

Huo's Franklin (Mr. Needa) was made Mr. V. V. Needs was the lending a warm favourite for the Koala Handicap in seven starts, while Mr. P. Y. T. Davis), an outsider, with Twinght Star, Wel had two wins in four starts to the second favourite, third, Bredon fourth head the 1940 Jockey championship and the highly fancied Centre Court, niable last year-fifth.

Princes Bridge attempted to set the pace the Rock Franklin was leading by three lengths from Centre Court, which was A poor start featured the Mount Gough closely followed by Twilight Star. In the home straight Rooffly came through nicely to secure second place.

MARDER'S SECOND WIN Marber I's Clember (Mr. Chao), carry- finished nowhere, followed by Eve of Folly, Gay Star and of the day, and it fully justified the con- class, 2-3/5 sees, outside Burford's record. Its | which paid \$31.00. Income Tax was third

Eve of Dancing was six lengths behind Clember at the football stands, being closely followed by Possible, with Hopeful Star, second favourite, four lengths further back. At the Rock Clember had

ished second last in the fleld of seven. their second success in this event-they won in 1936 with Royal Scot-and the A three-figure dividend was paid out in the last race manager of the stable, by Mr. H. V. Wil-

place by Lan's Bumdrum Eve (Mr. Pih), which had been in third place up to the public stand, and Bear Claw, which was second all the way round. Rose Emily was fourth and Conquering Time figh.

SOME HOPE INJURED Portrush, the hot favourite, fared poorly lockey with two wins and a second and it won as it liked from Rooffly (Mr. Miss L. Po-chun's Smiling Time (Mr. Wei) won easily after coming up on the rails and Maple Star, second favourite and very strongly less than 200 yards from the pace-maker, fourth. post. Wilber, the pace-maker, was second. Quartermaster's Jennifer (Mr. Noeda). Hearne); Possible; 158 lb., (Tang Man-The Marber stable was the successful, having a win, a Valley this year—he rode for the Marber. successful, having a win, a Valley this year—he rode for the Marber sides upsetting the "Double"—284 out of Handleap by 135 lengths from Peaceful 7 starters. Won by 6 lengths: 3 lengths. F. W. Hunt

> public stand and had to be taken off the with its last stride. Expansion Time, third Braes' March Brown (Mr. Treverton)

lieddon was third and Lancashire Chap Happy Landings (Mr. Davis), off to a good fourth. The highly fancied Arabian Cat start with Derby Day, won by a short head ing 168 ib., was made a raging hot fav- Mr. Treverion now requires only one

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View, fourth favourite and which finished Time: 28.2: 56.1: 1.24.2; 1.53; 2.22.4. Lucky's Some Hope (Mr. P. P. Botelho) strongly to pass Blue Diamond and King Pari-mutuel, winner \$6.20; places, was pulled up by its rider just by the Rong, which dead-heated for third place, \$5,00; 2nd \$9.80; 3rd \$17.70,

THREE-FIGURE DIVIDEND The big upset of the afternoon occurred made short work of the Talmoshan liandi-cap, beating Geordie by four lengths, event on the programme, when Ellandee's from Flying Dutchman, which came up good comeback over the last 50 yards and Section-One Mile. all but dead-heated for second place. Double Finesse, the favourite, was fourth.

> second position. Vixen Tor was badly left at the gate. Happy Landings, backed to the extent of only 322 tickets, paid \$100.40 for a win and \$23.70 for a place. Its time of 50.4 was only one-fifth of a second outside Lancashire Chips' track record, but it was out at 2 lb. below weight for inches. Detailed results are as follows:

Pumpernickel was favoured with a fair

start but ruined its chances when it ran

wide into the home stretch when holding

1-MOUNT GOUGH HANDICAP-About iaif Mile 170 Yerds. d Po Chun's Distinctive Time, 166 lb. Eu Tong Sen's Ronson, 154 lb. ...... Eve's Eve of Felly, 140 lb.

Bros,'s Gay Star, 168 lb. ...... (H. J. A. Hearne) 3 Also ran:-Blue Field, 135 lb., (Chiu Ki fan); Blue Gate, 135 lb., (Ho Hong-ping); Bronze Arrow, 146.1b., (S. L. Yuen); Emergency Unit, 140 lb., (S. W. Lee); Eve of Hunting, 144 lb., (R. M. Wood); Eve of Furlance. Peace, 135 lb., (Hoo Pak-ming): Hillsboro Bay, 146 lb., (V. V. Needa); Hughber, 153 Marber I's Wilber, 152 lb. lb., (L. B. Chao); Hurricane, 156 lb., (S. C. Llang); Jane Doe, 146 lb., (D. Black); Olibway, 147 lb., (H. M. Botelho); Oomph.

· Dead heat. 17 starters. Won by 6 lengths; neck. Time: 10.4; 37; 1.04.3, Parl-mutuel, winner \$10.70; places, ist \$5.50; 2nd \$6.20; 3rd \$5.70 (Gay Star) and \$5.70 (Eve of Folly). BETTING FIGURES

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Hyndford Bridge, 151 lb., (V. V. Needa); Lilliber, 158 lb., (Yeung Wing-kwai); Red Shine, 157 lb., (H. C. Pih). Feather, 106 lb., (S. L. Yuen); and Rose Emily, 152 lb., (W. G. Poy). 9 starters. Won by 2 lengths; neck. Time: 27; 83.3; 1.24.4; 1.58. Parl-mutuel, winner \$45.20; places,

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6 - TAIMOSHAN HANDICAP - SIX FUE-Braes's March Brown, 15t lb. (G. Treverton)

G. W. Sewell's Geordie, 143 lb. (R. M. Wood) Birds's Heddon, 153 lb., (Chiu Ki-fan) also ran:-Arabian Cat, 156 lb., (G. W. 2 Hook); Dow-Jones, 147 lb., (H. Graye); Gog. 183 lb., (O. R. Sadick); Lancashire Chap, 162 lb., (S. W. Lee); Lucky Eleven, 14 startors. Won by 4 lengths; 2% lengths. Time: 29.1; 59.4; 1.32. Pari-mutuel, winner \$18.10; places, 1st \$9.10; 2nd \$12.40; 3rd \$11.90.

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Popular 51ar ..... 7-CANTERBURY PARK HANDICAP-About One Mile 171 Yards. Wootoo's Fair Chance, 162 lb. ...... (B. A. Proulx) Ash's Rowan, 162 lb., (H, J. A. Hearne) Taxpayer's Income Tax, 183 lb., ....-

# In Jockeys' Race

Following are the jockey records | Owners and leading owners to date: Jockeys P. Y. T. Wei ......12 D. Black ......11 H. J. A. Hearns ...10 V. V. Needa ..... 7 R. B. Moller ..... W. H. S. Davis .... 5 C: Encarnacao ... 4 8, C. Liang ..... G. Treverton O. P. Gram ..... 3 B. L. Tao ...... 2 B. A. Proulx ..... 2 F. Marshall ..... 2 Ip Kul Ying .... 2 P. P. Bolalho ..... W. G. Poy ..... H. M. Botolho ..... 1 Young Wing Kwai 1 8. W. Pan ...... 1 Chiu Ki Fan ..... C. F. Chiu ..... 1 Tang Man Wa .... 0 O. R. Sadick ..... 0 F. A. Sequelra .... Hoo Pak Ming .... Ho Hong Ping .... Y. T. Fung ..... 0 A. D. Coppin .... 0 K. W. Fung .... 0 R. K. C. Chui ... 0 S. W. Tang ..... Ha Hona Pona .... H. Graye ..... G. W. Hook ...... Young Wing 6ing ... H. J. Cowle ..... 0 R. Sleap ...... S. L. Sung ..... 0 T. W. Chattey ..... 0 H. A. de B. Botelho O

Also ran:-Brown Derby, 145 lb., (D. Black): Catterick Bridge, 152 lb., (V. Needa): Comedy Star, 153 lb., (Tang Manwa); Maple Star, 155 tb., (B. L. Tao); Perole d'Oriente, 152 15., (L. B. Chao) Piccadilly Jim, 155 lb., (W.G. Poy); Quick Despatch, 138 lb., (S. L. Yuen); and Spring It starters: Won by 3 lengths; 2 lengths, Time: 10.4: 30; 1.03.2; 1.31.2; 1.58.2. Pari-mutuel, winner \$31.00; places, 1st \$10.00; 2nd \$8.70; 3rd \$18.20.

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8-MOUNT DAVIS HANDICAP-(Second Section)-One Mile. Quartermaster's Jennifer, 161 lb. ..... (V. V. Needa) Lan's Peaceful View, 147 lb. Hung's Blue Diamond, 156 lb. ..... (L. B. Chao) \*Cocoa's King Hong, 161 1b.

verton); Phoenix, 163 lb., (F. F. Li); Por- Also ran:—Expansion Time, 151 lb., (P. trush, 155 lb., (V. V. Needa); Some Hope, Y. T. Wei); Just In Time, 155 lb., (B. L. Roy, 168 lb., (8, L. Yuen).

9 starters. Won by 155 lengths; tength. Time: 25.4; 54.4; 1.25.1; 1.55.4, Pari-mutuel, winner \$10.30; places, 1st \$6.00; 2nd \$7.30; 3rd \$0.20 (King Kong).

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S-CHARTERS TOWERS HANDICAP -About Half Mile 170 Yards. Ellandeo's Happy Landings, 150 lb. ... (W. H. S. Davis) Neerlandia's Flying Dutchman, 159 1b. (V. V. Needa) Dr. S. N. Chau's Derby Day, 140 lb.

Also ran:-A Great Time, 163 lb., (B. L. als of the two singles events will be de-Tao): Annabella, 142 lb., (D. Black); cided. The junior singles, between N. L. Also ran:—Bredon, 100 lb., (T. W. Chattey); Centre Court, 168 lb., (S. L. Bung); Honour, 150 lb., (Yeung Wing-kwai); Popular Star, 100 lb., (T. W. Chattey); Rauble Court, 168 lb., (S. L. Sung); Discovery Bay, 146 lb., (S. L. Yuen); Forenand Drive, 167 lb., (8, W. Lee); Grand dium Star, 168 lb., (R. Sleap); Sunshine Hook); Triumphant Day, 165 lb., (8, L. the programme will start, again at 5.30 Sunshine Start, C. Pih); Princes Strathdoon, 156 lb., (R. Sleap); Sunshine Su

head. Time: 10.1: 34.1: 59.4. Pari-mutuel, winner \$100.40; places, 1st toubles final between 1. H. Wong and C. \$23,70; 2nd \$8,80; 3rd \$11.00, DETTING FIGURES

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Happy Landings	332	
A Great Time	317	
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Mr. C. Escarnacao, Hong Kong's champlon jockey and who is now in Shanghal, rode Star's Gold Star into third place in the Austral Pourmading, Cup race over seven furlongs in Shanghai last Saturday. Behind Mr. G. J. Mary's Mislinguet (Sokoloff) and Mr. H. M. Hind's Stardust (Wade)," it 'paid \$13.60 for a place, ' - He g was unplaced in his five other starts.

L. Dunbar ...... Ciro ...... Lan .......... Marber I ...... Quartermaster ...... Lucky ........ | LI Po Chun ..... 3 Eu Tong-sen ...... Ellandoo ....... T. K. L. ...... 2 Diamonds ..... 2 Mrs. J. H. Taggart . . . . 2 H. Leigh ...... 2 Mrs. A. E. Grasett . . . . Kong Bros. ..... 2 Loo Bros. ,..... 2 G. Treverton Gredka ...... L. Reidy ...... C. W. K. ...... 11 | Cocoa ......... Dr. B. N. Chau ...... Li Shiu Hang ...... Dr. Lee Shiu Kee ... Huo ...... Miss Li Po Chun ..... Mrs. Eu Tong∙sen .... 1 Mrs. Dunbar ...... Neerlandia ..... J. F. Macgregor ..... J. G. Whittaker ..... Westoo ...... Lady Northcote ..... Yick Chim ..... Bunnyside ..... Helenalda ..... Fans ..... Miss Fearon Lee Chi-chok ..... Braes .......... Tang Man Wa ...... Kia Ora ...... Mrs. Stanton ...... ( Zylch ...... ( Ash ..... B. T. Williamson ..... ( J. H. Jessen ...... 0 V. M. Grayburn ..... C John Peel ...... C Mrs. B. Hall ...... 0 L. B. & Co. . . . . . . . . . . 0 Yam Man ...... 0 H. Y. Liang ..... 0 H. & W. ...... LI Shiu-hang & Fai .. 0 724 G. W. Sewell ...... 0 L. W. 8. ...... 115 Billy ..... 0 131 Li Shiu Pang ..... 0 M. H. T. ......

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G. Tinson

The local badminton season will close Place officially in the course of the week when presentation of trophies won in the League and Championships will be made at Kowloon Cricket Club following the men's dou-756 bles and mixed doubles Final on Wednes-

All winners' positions in the League have 128 been decided, but King's and Recreio are 186 both still interested in the "B" Division, 31 | runners-up trophy. League champions and runners-up are

as follows:---Men's "A" Division-University "A" (winners); Chinese Y.M.C.A. (runners-up). Men's "B" Division-St. John's (winners); King's or Recreio (runners-up). Mixed Doubles Division-Recreio "A" (winners): University (runners-up). .To-morrow at Club de Recreio, the fin

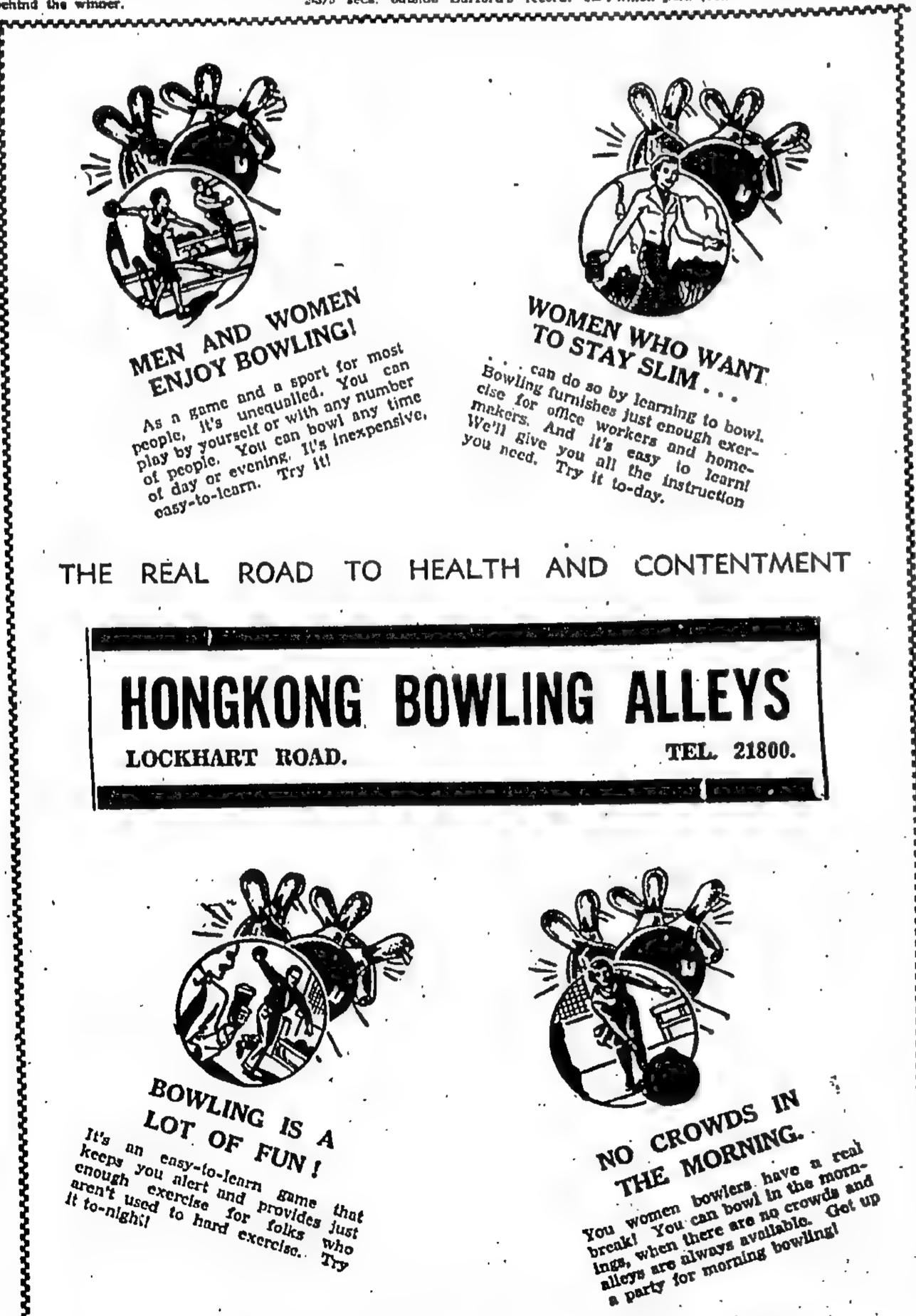
Bridge, 155 lb., (H. M. Botelho); Rising Susie, 158 lb., (Chanson Feng).

Star, 159 lb., (B. L. Tao); Snowy River, Bear, 158 lb., (Chanson Feng). Au and K. L. Yong and H. F. Chew. Following this match the trophies won during the past season will be presented.

> Shanghal, April 15.-T. L. Wong, one of 334 the leading cross-country runners in this part of the world, added another victory to his long list of achievements yesterday morning when he won the 10,000 Metres individual Cross-Country Championship, sponsored by the Ching Kunng Athletic Club, in the record time of 34 minutes and 14 seconds, D. A. Lee and B. K. Hau fintshed second and third respectively. **.**

It is understood that U.S.S. Tulsa and U.S.S. Ashville are contemplating entering the local Baseball Loague, which is itarting shortly.

It is understood that Tiger Balm Ointment Co, will be entering a team in the Beseball League during the coming sea-



## AINSLIE SAVES CIVIL SERVICE

## GITTINS CHALKS UP FIVE AGAINST CRAIGENGOWER AT LAST END TO WIN MARGIN NARROWEST

COUR friendly lawn bowls matches were played yesterday, Kowloon Bowling Green Club beating Naval Dockyard R.C., Recreio proving too good for U.S.R.C., Indian R.C. defeating H.K. Electric and Kowloon Tong getting the better of Kowloon Cricket Club.

## One U.S.R.C. Rink Win

bent United Ser	ome, Club de Recrelo vices Recreation Club
by 17 shots in	a friendly match.
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J. E. Noronha	II, Howell
C. H. Busto	A. C. Milne
H. A. Alves	H. H. Williams
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L. Xavier	J. Evans .
F. X. Source	J. T. Smalley
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F. V. Xavier	J. Moffatt
J. A. Remedios	L. A. R. Duncan
F. V. Riberio	А. Л. Мозв .
C. G. Silva	A. Parsons
(Skip)	13 (Skip) . 20

Totals K.B.G.C. Success At Austin Road, Kowloon Bowling Green Club beat Naval Dockyard Recreation Club by 13 shots in a friendly match. Lewis started off with a six against

McKelvie and led 20-7 at the 12th end. Thereafter McKelvie scored at the next six ends to lead 23-21 and three gave him a 26-22 win. Down 19-11 at the end of the 15th head, Randle scored 2 1 2 1 1 1

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can at the last end, scored a four	r
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a view to selecting their League team for the coming lawn bowls season. Kowloon Tong will hold an intra-club game Chinese dinner.

Total5

### Kowloon Tong Win

Playing at home in a friendly lawn bowls maich yesterday, Kowloon Tong beat Kowloon Cricket Club by

Gittins led Jack 15-13 at the end of the 18th head but, was down 19-15 when commencing the last end. He then scored five and won 20-10. Carr started off with 1 5 3, but Basto scored at the next six ends to lead 10-9 and he was led only once thereafter before winning 21-16 as the result of 3 0 2 2 at the last four

	K.T.G.C.A.	K.C.C.	
	H. A. Castro	. A. Fabel	
	Y. H. Tang	J. Hempsey	
ŋ	J. H. Wong	R. Mendows	
	H. Gittins	J. M. Jack	
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,1	W. Gittins	A. C. Tribble	
	A. E. H. Castro	G. E. Taylor	
	C. J. Roc	A. W. Ramsey	
2	A. H. Castro	T. W. Corr	
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9	K. Y. Hau	C. J. Tacchi	
	T. K. Lim	W. Nnct	
t	W. J. Howard	L. Jack	
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### Electric Beaten

Totals

	At Sookunpoo, Indian Recreation
١	Club beat Hong Kong Electric Re-
1	creation Club by 32 shots in a friend-
ı	ly match yesterday.
	I.R.C. H.K.E.R.C.
1	A. K. Suffind A. Tarbuck
	A. H. Madar R. A. Owens
	A. M. Wahab C. E. Gahagan
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.	A. G. Suffiad R. F. Gregory
'	A. O. Madar H. S. McKay
	M. Y. Adal A. F. Paul
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	R. Nazarin W. E. Baker
'	M. R. Abbas V. Sorby -
İ	A. R. Minu G. T. Padgett
1	(Skip) 27 (Skip) - 14

At Lau, cousin of Roy Lau, Hon, Secretary of the Baschall League, will be turning out again this season, for Chinese Baseball Club, after an absence of some

Sgt. J. Walford, of 40th. Fortress Coy., Royal Engineers, will lead the first all-British team in the local Baseball League on Saturday next, to be followed by a this season under the banner of the San-

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CRICKET LEAGUE TABLE TO DATE

SECONE	•	RO	UN	D		
		P.	W.	Ļ.	D.	Pts.
I.R.C		8	6	-1	1	19
Police		Ð	- 6	1	1	19
Recreto		7	6	2	0	15
K.C.C		₿	- 4	4		12
C.C.C		8	3	- 4	- 1	10
Army	٠.	•	2	2	2	8
R.A.F.			2	6	- 1	7
C.B.C.C		_	2	- 4	2	8
University		7	0	7	0	0

Closing stages of the annual tennis tournaments at Hong Kong Cricket Club have been reached and, unless the weather proves unkind, all events will be decided by Wednesday week, when the Open Doubles final will be played, followed by the presentation

9 lof prizes. To-morrow and Tuesday will see the doubles semi-finals decided, likely winners being the Tsul brothers and the Rumjahn cousins.

Two good singles match are down for decision in the course of the week. On Wednesday Tsui Waipui (holder) will meet his brother, and the following day H. D. Rum-16 jahn and S. A. Rumjahn, who shared four sets at their first meeting 61 last week, will once again endeavour to reach a conclusion.

On Friday M. Pagh is expected to win the Club Championship at the expense of B. C. Fay, although the latter may offer spirited resistance. The final of the singles will be. played to-morrow week and the doubles final on Wednesday week. Following is the tennis programme at Hong Kong Cricket Club for the next fort- pressive.

TO-MORROW Open Doubles Semi-Final Tsui Wai-put and Tsui Yan-put v J. Gonsalves and A. V. Remedios (Stand Court). Singles Handicap Semi-Final A. H. Barwell (-1/6) v C. H. R. Ryde (-30) (8).

Doubles Handicap Sami-Final C. D. N. Walker and E. L. Taverner (scratch) v B. O'M. Deane and N. Spence (--4/6) (4). Mixed Doubles Handicap Semi-Final V. R. Gordon and Mrs. Ralph (scratch) v

T. A. Penrce and Miss J. Armstrong (-15) TUESDAY Open Doubles Semi-Final E. C. Fincher and W. C. Hung v S. A.

and H. D. Rumjahn (Stand Court). WEDNESDAY Open Singles Semi-Final Thui Yan-pul v Tsul Wal-pul (Stand Court) Singles Handicap Final G. W. Sewell (-4/6) or M. Pagh (-30/3) v A. H. Barwell (-1/6) or C. H. R. Hyde

(-30) (B). Mixed Doubles Handleap Final V. R. Gordon and Mrs. Ralph (scratch) tually won by four clear goals, or T. A. Pearce and Miss J. Armstrong (-15) v R. C. Benvan and Miss J. Smalley (-3/6) (4).

THURSDAY Open Singles Semi-Final S. A. Rumjahn v H. D. Rumjahn (Stand field.

FRIDAY Club Championship Final M. Pagh v B. C. Fay (Sland Court) Doubles Handicap Sami-Final C. B. Nicholson and G. V. Hobbs (-2/6) : V. R. Gordon and H. J. Armstrong (--15)

MONDAY (APRIL 29) Open Singles Final (Stand Court) (Umpire) Mr. G. W. Sewell) and Club Handican Deu-

WEDNESDAY (MAY 1) Open Doubles Final (Stand Court) (Umpire dr. Justice Lindsell) and presentation of

## K.C.C. TENNIS TRIAL

Kowloon Cricket Club's trial to select teams, for the forthcoming Tennis League, which was to have been held yesterday, was poorly supported owing to counter-attrac-tions, only a handful of players participating. It is possible that a further trial will be held next week.

Following are the latest results in the Steel Coulson and H.B. League:-

BILLIARDS

C.P.O. Rec. Club 3 Garrison S/M 'B' 0

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Marcal

H.B. Club

R.N.Y. Police

H.K. Police

Chalcroft

2 Taikon Rec.

Stainlon

Tocher

Jones

Rakusen

Hickman

Colcena

Megsome

2 P.O. Club

Gowland

Perly

Gram

Marcel

LEAGUE TABLE

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3 H.B. Club

Davis

7 For 25 And 44 Out Of 65

# PLUCKY

PRAIGENGOWER, beaten last week by Police in a "needle" match, concluded their Second Division Cricket League fixtures yesterday when they visited Civil Service Cricket Club and were unexpectedly beaten by 5 wickets.

## Y.M.C.A. HOCKEY FINALE

members by four clear goals.

Photographs were taken during scored out of 84. on the ground.

The ladies played many reserves overs. and did well to draw with the men after the latter had opened the scor-The ladies were assisted by H.

Millington, in goal, and Waldron, at

left-holf, and these players did a great deal to check the opposing at-The ladies' backs, Mrs. Dudley and Mrs. Stone, played well, while in the

intermediate line Miss Stokes, pivot, and Miss M. MacCaw were also im-They had, however, to rely almost entirely on Miss D. MacCaw and

Miss B. Harker in the forward line as both the wingers could accomplish little against the men. The men opened the scoring in the second half when Stone netted from a perfect pass from Smits, but Mrs.

Stone equalised following a short corner shortly after. LADIES-Millington; Mrs. Dudley and Mrs. Stone: Miss M. MacCaw, Miss Stokes and Woldron; Mrs. Bicknell, Miss B. Harker, Miss D. MacCaw, Mrs. Macklin and Mrs. Peters.

JUNIORS-Mins S. Bruce: Kellen and Grant: Banks Taylor and Ireson, Smits. Dormer, Stone, Jeffrey and Beavan, CIVILIANS CRACK UP

Civilian members of the Y.M.C.A. hockey teams was fairly interesting in the first half, when the Services lled by the only goal scored, but in the second period the Services were much the superior team and even- Lam : ..... 9

Colledge, who played at inside-left Way ..... 2 .. 0 for the Civilians, once again injured Hamson ........ 5 2 his knee, in the later stages of the Locke ...... 1.1 0 #3 game, and was forced to leave the

Stone played for the Civilians and Millington and Wall for the Services. The Services' forward line were fast and gave the Civilian defence a trying time. White being prominent or R. C. Benvan and A. K. Mackenzie wingers, Corser and Wall, sent over many good centres. Gemmell and terday.
Highlands were two inside forwards

who needed watching. In the defence, Jordan, at back, generally had the better of Bates, while Pennington had some rare

McLellan played hard for the Civilian team at pivot, but he slackened off in the second period. Kempton, on the right, gave him sound support. Services opened the scor-ing in the first half through Highand in the second period SERVICES-Millington; Jordan and Tom- season.

BILLIARDS, SNOOKER AND DARTS

H.B. Club

Hickman

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C.C.C. ...... 21 10 11 26 25 28 H.D. Club ...... 20 8 13 29 31 29 H.K. Police ...... 20 9 11 27 33 27 | Prison O.C. ......... 21 8 13 26 37 26

Naval Police ...... 20 6 16 18 44 18 Garrison "B" ....... 31 7 14 23 40 23

2 Garrison B/M 'B'

Taikoo Rec. Club

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Chalmers

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Taylor (HKP) 174.

of the Tennis League.

ket Club next Sunday.

members ' defeating the Civilian cluded nine boundaries, while Wat- was bowled by Hulse. son hit three boundaries in his 24.

the afternoon, and tea was served! Hamson (4 for 8) took his four wickets for one run in his last two

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N. Singh, b Ainslie		
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Mitchell 5 1 24	0
Ainslie 5.3 0 25	7
Attwell 3 0 18	3
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H. E. Strange, b Lam	10
K. J. Attwell, b Iranec	0
F. E. Lawrence, l.b.w., b Iranee	0
G. Ainslie, e Hamson, b Lam	44
A. Watson, b Hamson	24

P. Crawley, b Hamson J. Mitchell, b Hamson ...... H. Parrot, c Leonard, b Humson F. Sheppard, b Locke ...... The game between the Service and J. T. Lacey, not out Extras (LB4)

Total ..... 102 Bowling Analysis

## MATCH CANCELLED

Army having announced the clos-ing of their cricket season, the Junior with his feeding, while both the League match between Recreio and wingers, Corser and Wall, sent over Army 2nd. XI, was not played yes-

tinson; Jeffrey, Pennington and Waldren; Corser, Gemmell, White, Highlands and tussles with Taylor, the Civilian rieff; Kempton, McLellan and Broch; Smits, Stone, Taylor, Colledge and Bales.

> F. Kengelbacker, who played tennis for Rowloon Cricket Club some years ago, now back in the Colony and will be turn-

White (2) and Gemmell scored the in "B" Division of the Tennis League, will not be playing during the coming

2 R.E. Sorgta.

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Gowland

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Drewery

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LEAGUE TABLE

DARTS.

H.K., Police ...... 13 6 6 30 30 30

R.E. Sergis. ..... 11 5 6 20 29 26

D.R.C. ..... 10 1 9 15 35 15

Highest Game finish Mr. Davies

Highest score in 3 successive darts Mr.

An American mixed doubles tennis tour-

nament will be held at Civil Service Cric-

ket Club to-day, commencing at 3.15 p.m.

Club may enter a team in "C" Division

An American mixed doubles tennis

Colcene

## D.B.S. LOSE BY 10 RUNS AT HOME

A. Zimmern's X beat Diocesan Boys' School X by 10 runs in a low-scoring game on the school ground yesterday,

School started well by dismissing Painted Lady .... 6.06.31 Gegg and Mathews cheaply, both as (Dr. Dean Smith). the result of excellent catches by Joss ..... 6.06.41 Macauley, the second off his own same over. Craigengower were now out for a patient 15 only Hung man-struggling desperately for runs, and aged to stay in for long. Whitheld Scandla D.N.F. when Hamson left at 82 (for 7) the and Macauley bowled unchanged and MIXED CLASS START 2.

innings soon came to a close. Ham- took 4 wickets each. Son hit eight boundaries. The School innings The School innings started slowly Y.M.C.A. brought their hookey season to a close yesterday when at King's Park two games were placed.

Ainslie (7 for 25) clean-bowled six both out in the fifth over. Twenty odd runs were added by Fisher and Civil Service were 14 for 4 when Goodban, but the school's chance of Mr. E. Hitchcott).

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### A. ZIMMERN'S X W. S. Gegg, c Macauley, b Whitfield ..... A. J. Hulse, tun out C. N. Matthews, c & b Macauley F. J. Lny, c sub. b Macauley ...

K. Lo, b Macauley ..... 0 R. T. Broadbridge, b Whitneld ... D. Hung, l.b.w., b Macaulcy ... S. K. Cheung, b Whitfield ..... W. Rapley, not out A. Zimmern, b Whitfield ..... Extras (B2)

Total ..... Bowling Anniysis Whitneld ...... 6 0 34 Macauley ..... 5.3 0 33 D.B.S. J. Fisher, c Cheung, b Matthews

C. Whitfield, c Hulse, b Cheung J. Macauley, b Cheung ..... G. A. Goodban, c Lay, b Gegg ... K. Harris, run out J. L. Youngsaye, run out ..... K. Farnud, b Hulse ..... E. Mazuza, e Rapley, b Hulsa .. 15 Broadbridge ..... 1 1 

## ARTEMIS SUCCEED

Royal Hong Kong Yacht Club's 2nd Extra Series Race over 6.20 miles yesterday resulted as follows: "A" CLASS START 2.40 P.M. Finished Post, Pts. Artemis ..... 5.55.56 1 14 (Mr. G. G. Wood). La Linda ..... 6.03.59 2 12 (Cdr. R. B. H. Johnstone). Tyrone Chai .... 6.05.20 3 10 ((Mr. B. Herschend). (Mrs. M. A. Neve). MIXED CLASS START 2.50 P.M. (Mr. D. Humphreys).

(Mr. H. W. Browne). J. L. Stephens, who was injured in the League cricket match between Police and Craigengower, has now been discharged from hospital but it is doubtful whether he will be able to take part in the play-20 join with I.R.C.

(Mr. F. P. MncCabe).

P. H. Loughlin and P. Forrest, members 16 lof the successful Police cricket eleven, are proceeding on long leave shortly.

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## Recital By Erich Porges From The Studio

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12.31 p.m.—Haydn — Quartet in C Major, Op. 1, No. 5. Pro Arte 12.41 p.m.—Alfredo Campoll and His Orchestras.

Invation (Raff); Canzonetta (D'Ambrosio) . . . Alfredo Cam-Cavatina poll & His Salon Orchestra. Romance In Moonlight. Intro: Pale Moon; Pagan Love Sogn; In the Moonlight; Gipsy Moon; Moonlight and Roses; I love the Moon

.... Alfredo Campoli & His Orch. Your Heart Called Mine (Edgar-Lewinnek-Hayon); Vienna In Springtime (Leon-Pelosi) ..... Campoli & His Marimba Tango Orchestra.

1.00 p.m.-Local Time Signal and Weather Report.

.03 p.m.—Studio—Another "Musical Cocktall" by Erich Porges (Piano) (from Jimmy's Kitchen). 1.23 p.m.—Sandy Macpherson at the

4 SHOWS

Londonderry Air (trad.). Traumerei (Schumann, arr. Woodhouse).

1.30 p.m.—Reuter and Rugby Press, 1.45 p.m .- Puccini's "Madam Butter-

in order of appearance: Mannarial (Mezzo-Soprano) ... Suzuki, servant of Cho-Cho-San; Secil (Tenor) ... Lieut. Pinkerion of U.S.N.; Palai (Tenor) ... Coro, marriage broker; Weinberger (Baritone).... Sharpless, U.S. Consul; Sheridan (Soprano) ... Cho-Cho-San; Gelli (Bass) ... Prince Yamadorl; Masini (Bass) ... The Bonze; with Members of La Scala, Milan, Orchestra and Chorus.

2.30 p.m.—CLOSE DOWN. 7.00 p.m.-Compositions of Brahms. Hungarian Dance No. 7 in A Ma-Jor, ... Yehudi Menuhin (Violin) with Piano accomp. by Marcel

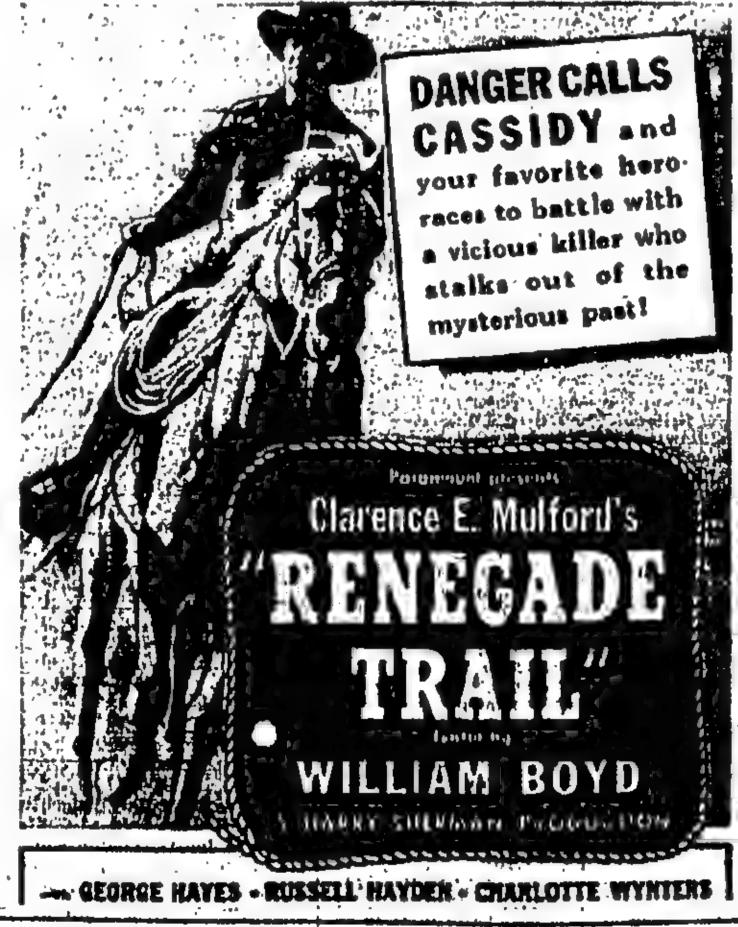
Variations on a Theme By Paganini, Op. 35....Egon Petri

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Opera Orchestra. 8.17 p.m.-Excerpts from Gilbert and Sullivan's "The Pirates of Pen-

What shall I do?....Derek Oldham, Climbing Over Rocky Mountain ...Nellie Briercliffe, Nellie Walker & Chorus of Girls, Stop, Lodies, Pray ... Nellie Briercliffe, Nellie Walker, Derek Oldham and Chorus of Girls.
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Breast....Derek. Oldham, Eisle Griffin and Chorus of Girls, 'Tis Mabell; Poor Wand'ring One

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Senses....Derek Oldham Chorus of Girls. Hold, Monsters!....Elsie Griffin, George Baker, Stuart Robertson

& Chorus. 8.45 p.m.—Talk on "Mineaweeping" recorded by a Naval Eye-witness. 9.00 p.m.—Violin Solos by Yehudi

Legende, Op. 17 (Wieniawski).... with Orchestre Des Concerts Colonne cond. by Georges Enesco. Gultarre (Moszkowski - Sarasate); Sicilienne Et Rigaudon (Francoeur-Kreisler) .... with Piano accomp. by Arthur Balsam. 9.15 p.m. — London Relay — News

9.30 p.m.-London Relay-"Despatch

from the Front". 9.45 p.m. — Hayda — Concerto in D Major. Op. 21. Mme. Marguerite Roesgen-Champion (Piano) and the Orchestre Symphonique (of

10.02 p.m.—Handel—"Alcina" Sulte.
Philharmonic-Symphony Orchestra
of New York conducted by Willem Mengelberg. 10.36 p.m.—CLOSE DOWN.

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## In The Limelight

ALL being well. Lee Wai-long, football, I EE realized his ambition when he was A idol of China, will captain the atrong - selected an captain of the all-China Hong Kong team to be sent shortly to football team to play in the 1930 Berlin Saigon, and it is a fitting tribute to this Olympic Games tournament. This was in-25-year-old man who has had such a great deed a memorable tour. Setting out for deal to do with the reby China in the football

world. It would be no Record Captain exaggeration to may that

Queen's College, Lee's League foutball led 5-1 by Poland in the Second Round this period the lights, and during led 5-1 by Poland in the Second Round this period the brilliance of Miss Ng of the Games. Poland won 5-4, but Shul-sum onabled the University of the Cames. following year saw han promoted to the dirough no fault of Joy.

Career son he has never Chinese team since 1926.

1022-S.C A.A. accord team, 1023-S.C A.A. first team.

Went to Australia on tour with the answer was, "I am too old to start a pro-Chimese team. 1924-S.C.A.A. won League Champtonship for first time. This was the first

Chinese success locally, 4925-Represented Hong Kong against Enstern Olympic Games, the football touranment again being won by

He went to live in Shanghat. 1926-Played for Lob live in Shanghat and member of the team which won the Chinese Lengue.

1927-Played for Shanghal against Hong Made second tour of Australia, being captain of the Chinese team. 1928-In Lob Hwa team which won the Shanghat League Champlonship and

the "Skottowe" Cup. Played for Shaughal against Hong Toured Manila with the Lob Hwa

1929-Toured Java. 1930-Set out on intended tour of Europe but team forced to return when half way there due to insufficient number

of players. South Seas toured. Went to Japan for 9th For Eastern Olympic football tournament, which China won. Returned to Hong Kong. 1931-Toured South Seas with South Chion, 1932-Toured Philippines and South Seas

league in 1933. 1933-Played for Datavia in the Interport series and on the winning side.

twice, remaining in Java in Novem-

Down with pleurlay. 1034-Returned to Hong Kong. Played in 10th Far Eastern Olympics at Manila-China aguin won,

1935-Took things enally, 'under doctor's Represented Hong Kong at the 6th National Meeting in Shanghal, and Penalty again led the winning team.

1936-Represented Hong Kong against Shanghai, being captain. Captained all-China team to Berlin Olympic Games. Toured Austria, Switzerland, France. Holland, Sweden and England. 1937-Represented Hong Kong, against

Toured South Sens with South China. Sustained fractured shin at Semerand and kept out of the game till the 1933-9 season, when he played only in charity games. 1939-Represented Hong Kong against

Manila in Hong Kong and Manila. Toured South Sens with South China 1940-Played for Rong Kong against

Saigon and visiting the

F.M.S., Dutch East Indies, markable advance made Amazing F.M.S., Dutch Edit Calculta and Dombay they played 27 games before leaving he is probably the widest travelled foot- the East, and they won 24 and drew the baller in the world—he has played through- remaining three. Arriving in Berlin they out China, Japan, the South Sean, Austra- drew Great Britain in the First Round and ita, Europe and the British Isles-and he lost 2-0. Bernard Joy, captain and cenis as thre an example of a sportamon as tre-half of the British team and who is one walld wish to meet, playing the game now on the Arsenal's books, marked Lee, for the game's sake and not the trophy at and for the first time in his life Lee was completely mastered. Joy, slanding 6 dt. I ins, and requiring specially large-sized boots, had him covered from the sick-off to the end, Lee still corresponds with BORN in Hong Kong and educated at three goals for Britain when she was being

WHILE on the Continent the Chinese team played one match in Paris. looked back, being against the well-known Red Star profesthe first stonal team, against whom they drew 2-2. bining well and their guards very chuice for any team and captain of every At the conclusion of that game the French solld, they managed to take the lead ed and only requiring Lee's Offer signature. For signing up alone, points. Went to Japan for 6th Far Enstern was to receive 50,000 tranes, and his Olympie Cames, the football tourns monthly salary was to be the maximum

> has no Chincse footballer. FROM Paris they went to London and | played the Edington Corinthians at |

Allison's the Arsenal manager, re Wun-ying. marked to some of players that they something to learn about passing from his age and added what a pity he was not play under girls' rules. ten years youngert The Chinese also played against the Casuals, losing 5-3 on the English League.

specer. It was published in Shanghal Unconscious diary of every touring team, and has he read the papers the next day. and enjoyed a big sale. He keeps the given radio talks in both English and The third time was in Java. In 1931 Chinese keries, once

Football week, lasting nine weeks. He has given a talk to the Referees' Association and has lectured at Chinese schools in Hook of the Hong Kong Chinese Ampleur A bletic Federation, president of the Hong Kong Small Ball League, the only player member on the H K.F.A. Emergency Committee and in business is secretary to a foreign firm of general merchants.

· EE, however, has to pay the penalty for

Of Fame does, and the trom camera as possible. For action, they use which Lee is taking part, and he is a film s'ar whether he likes it or not. In Java there is a port wine with the number nine the best visiting player. He is incidentalmember of the touring team before they will sign the contract.

## SOUTH CHINA BEAT IT WAS NO FLUKE HONG KONG AND BASKETBALL

FIRST DIVISION In the course of their tour of Hong Kong and the Straits to play games Lat Shut-wing. in ald of Chinese Relief Work the Royal Scots.... 1 Chinese Girls' Basketball team from 8. China "B" Manila played their first game here Middlesex ..... 1 tast night, against the combined girls' schools team at Chinese Y.M.C.A.,

The visitors, who have nine in Kwong Wah ... 4 Kowloon ..... 2 their party, played their best six last Tein Chi-fun Z. Lau Fook-chuen 2. night, but, at first seemed to be un-Taylor, Pelham.

team to secure a 7-1 lead at the end Electric ..... 0 International .. 2 of the first quarter's play. The visitors improved as play went on, and, with their forwards comteam's manager approached Lee at 18-17 at the end of the third with a contract aiready prepar- quarter's play. They played strongly in the last quarter to win by seven

and won by 29 points to 22.

Following were the scorers and Olympie Cames, the footont tout of the first and professional in France. Lee's Philippines:-Alice Chan (16), Sally Royal Navy ,19 9 2 8 35 45 20 ment in which was won by China. offered any professional in France. Lee's Philippines:-Alice Chan (16), Sally Royal Navy ,19 9 2 8 35 45 20 tenms:---Wong, Chan Chu-shlu (5), Wong Kwong Wah ,20 8. 3 9 42 46 19 fensional career," and France to this day Yuk-lin (8), Hung Bak-yik, Ng Kowloon .... 19 8 2 9 33 44 18 Yuk-man, Kwole Ying, Wong Royal Scots . 18 6 5 7 20 30 17

> Chan Wan-wan. Honn Konn:-- Ip Mo-ching (5), Wong St. Joseph's .18 5 3 10 30 41 13 They lost 3-2, but had the opportunity of Po-chun (3). Lui Yuet-kwai (6), Ng Police ..... 19 4 5 10 29 47 13 aceing the famous Arsenat team go Shui-cum (7). Chu Chim-chin (1), through their training, After | Chan Yee-ha, Law Man-so, Lee Siutheir game George Allison, blug, Cheung Wah-ching and Ng

> > play under the boys' rules, and it is He asked Lee therefore something new for them to Royal Scots .21 11 4 6 59 29 28

the Crys at Palace ground. It was Lee's knowing what he was doing. Once was in Signals .....22 8 0 14 33 59 16 regret that he did not meet Frank Soo of a Champions v Rest game in 1924, and R.Es. ...... 22 5 4 13 43 61 14 Stoke City and the only Chinese player in the second time was while in Australia in 1927 when playing Scores While in a night game. He then - scored three 5th A.A. Regt. 21 3 6 12 22 49 12 goals without know-

Chinese from Z.B.W., his there was a real free-for-all during a a game in Saigon, and the players had to fight their way to the dressing rooms, but the best example of bad behaviour by the growd was in 1923 in Shanghal, when Lon Hwn played the Recs. in the Shanghal Kong and abroad. To-day he is secretary Stadium. Two hours before the start of the game the stands were full, and people were turned away in their thousands, including Mme Chiang and Mr. T. V. Soong. When the Loh Hwa team arrived there was no possible means of breaking through the crowd, and in the end soldiers had to use their bayonets to make a hole in the enclosure to let them through. By the time the game got started they were all very tired and not a little shaken, and a

out his consent or knowledge in Chinese score. While on the subject of crowds | Wah opened up the game more and too one-sided to provide interest. . . . Lee played before 140,000 in Calcut-Chinese technique is to to when they met a bare-footed Indian find someone of Lee's team, and there were 130,000 at the Final build, dress him as Lee of the National Meeting in Shanghai, when does, and then keep him Hong Kong beat Canton 3-1.

ball shor!s—and Lee's photograph on it.
While on the subject of Java it is also noteworthy that their federation invariably

In the playing to-day, while the best use of them. In the for- | right place. Hossack was a good occasions gave an unblemished disnoteworthy that their federation invariably blaves he was the oldest active ward line San'os was outstanding, right-winger who played strenuous- play. ask for a guarantee that Lee will be a Flayer athlete in the all-China team but he received very little support by throughout. Holden was good in Fewler was brought down in the Kwok-kee, who, from well outside party that went to Berlin in 1936, which gained for him the honour of carrying the Chinese flag in the parade of nations. He THREE times has Lee been knocked un- is the oldest playing member in the First conscious while playing and yet has Division of the League, beating Brittain gone on playing mechanically without of the Police by a small margin. To-day,

AND SCORERS

8. China "A".. 1 Club ...... St. Joseph's ... Chan Tak-fal 2, Kwok Yin-ki, Lee Shek-yau (pen.).

SECOND DIVISION (Play Off) R. Engineers. , 2 30th Hvy. Btty. THIRD DIVISION

> Sprinkle, Rochn. **LEAGUE TABLES** TO DATE

FIRST DIVISION Goals P. W. D. L. F. A. Pts. 8. China 'A' ... 19 13 3 3 55 23 29 Eastern ......20 13 2 5 55 29 28 8. China 'B' .. 18 9 3 6 40 35 21 Sheung-yau, Tam Yuk-wan and Middlesex ... 20 6 4 10 48 41 16 Club ....... 20 7 2 11 34 49 16

P. W. D. L. F. A. Pts. R.A.8.C. ....22 14 5 3 81 27 33 All girls' teams in the Philippines 24th Hvy Btty 22 15 3 4 59 31 33 International 22 11 6 5 42 33 28 8. China .... 22 11 4 7 56 38 26 12th Hvy Btty 22 11 4 7 51 42 26 Kumpon Riffes 21 7 5 9 48 50 19 R.A.M.C. ....22 6 2 14 32 65 14

In a fast and interesting match, Kwong Wah defeated Kowloon at Boundary Road by 4 coals to 2.

much of the play as Kowloon, but I at the interval, instead of being about three goals up, they found

The outstanding player on the a much greater margin.

from the rest of the forwards. quite well in goal, although he did Falconer, played a cool, confident a fine centre by Wilson brought the save. Play soon returned to the not have much to do, and of the pame in the pivitol position, and had Club further success, Strange head- Middlesex half and Young Shiu-yick two backs Kwok Ping-chung was the full support of Simons and ing the ball back across the goal- passed to Lee Kwok-kee, who rethe more reliable, although he was Clark, the wing-halves. Naysmith mouth for Fowler to beat Lee Tin- turned the ball to Chan Tak-fai, the too long, this foult nearly costing his a lot of work covering up Fowler, ball and then crash it past the goal- Drake's head. Ten minutes later, side a goal in the second half. At who was inclined to go too far up- keeper. centre-half Tse Kam-hung played a field. The Saints played very poor- Following pretty play by Fung netted their only goal, which was the pressed in the second half.

A most enjoyable paper hunt was held by the Cottage Club yesterday. Winner was Capt, F. P. R. James, with Mr. J. Buis second and Mr. J. Fraser third. Prize for the first lady home we won by Mrs. Christine Wyatt:

The trail took the field from Dill's Corner, down Lo Wu Valley to the Shumchun River and up again in a

in his 35th year, he is the leading goalscorer in the senior League, and is nearly up to his average of 50 goals per season. for to-day, on the Club de Recreto Ills highest number of goals in a match ground. The opener is at 10.30 a.m.: was 14 out of a total of 22-6 in one of the when the Canadian Chinese girls tangle games at the National Meeting in Shang- with the Recreio Ramblerettes. At 2 p.m.,

when Eaton (E. Surreys), Macgregor tilts. . best, has thought of retir-S.C.A.A. ing on three occasions— beating the junior Ramblers, thereby re- ers, fielding an exceptionally poor beating the junior Ramblers, thereby re- combination. only Quinn. Gomes. from pleurisy, secondly after he had realised his ambition at the World Olympic Games in 1936, and thirdly when he austained a factured shin in Java. "As long as South the girls' gonfalon. Superior fielding and China want me I shall play," he said, the slugging should see them top the Portu- position of custodian, whilst Bux, is married and has three sons and one guese gain to-day to cop the award for the regular keeper, played in the daughter, and one of his sons plays in the the first time. small boys' class in the Hong Kong v Kowloon small ball competition so we can look forward to the perpetuation of a name that

Prowess been singles champion of scale and doubles the saves. The defence was the sticks for the Sappers, and made some not-the saves. The defence was the sticks for the Sappers, and made some not-the sticks for the Sappers, and made some not-the saves. The defence was the strongest section of the team, gineers' score within bounds. Guy championship, between Repair Army once, on all three occasions being pattner- and Palmer and Tang Chung-pak gave a very sound performance and Service Corps and Service Corps and Palmer and Tang Chung-pak gave a very sound performance and Service Corps and Service Corps and Service Corps and Palmer and Tang Chung-pak gave a very sound performance and Service Corps and the last four in the Colony Singles Cham- back line which the Heavies had diate line. Brown was good in the owing to the Bertier Cham back line which the Heavies had diate line. Brown was good in the owing to the Bertier Cham being in the could come will be played this afternoon

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS Champions Without Leung And Lee

## BRILLIANT HAT FOWLER: DANGEROUS STRANGE-COMBINATION

## TWO GOALS UP THE INTERVAL

LUB completed their League programme yesterday by recording a splendid victory by 3 goals to 1 over South S. CHINA China "A," the League champions.

The game was far from thrilling, only Club producing football of anything like First Division standard. day, Bouth China "B" defeated Mid-South China did not field their full League side, Leung 3-1 up at the interval. Wing-chui and Lee Wai-tong being absentees, but if they The weakness of the Middlesex had been present the score would probably have still been was absent from the full-back line in favour of the Club, as they were playing football far and his place was filled by Jackson, superior to that of the Chinese.

For Lee Wai-tong the home team was closely shadowed by Lee Tinincluded Chan Wai-sang the second leang, he registered a perfect hatteam centre-forward, but, judging on trick, mainly due to his speed and his initial showing in the premier fine shooting. League, he has still a lot to learn. The Club forwards on the whole Soong Ling-sing was in the pivotal were vastly superior to the Chinese position in place of Leung Wing- quintette, playing together as one chui, and, despite having a lot of unit and sending the ball out to the work to do, owing to the inconsis- wings at every available opportuntency of his wing-halves, he gave ity. Bickford and Strange formed a a splendid performance. Lee Tin- very dangerous wing pair, sang and Mak Shul-hon were not at Pryde showed judgment and all sure at any period of the game, when passing to Fowler. Wilson, the former being very slow and not on the right-wing, was the weak positioning himself as well as he link. usually does. The bustling and robust methods of Fowler had a very disconcerting effect on the Chinese 'y below form-they persisted defence in general and, although he keeping the ball far too close.

## SAINTS Kwong Wah had at least twice as DISAPPOINT

On the Club ground, St. Joseph's themselves one goal in arrears. In were fortunate to be beaten by Holly wood and has actually appeared with hard and gruelling game ended without the second half, however, Kwong only one goal in a match which was scored twice within five minutes and in which Royal Scots should

> the centre-forward berth, but his penalty area and he had no difficult the goal area, netted a ground shot For Kwong Wah, Wong Wa-ki did shooting was amazingly inaccurate, ty in placing Club in the lead. Then which Drake was just too late to inclined to hang on to the ball rather was the best of the backs, having rang and Tam Kwan-kon for the latter heading into the goal, over sound geme and held up many pro- ly, and in the latter half were com- King-cheong and Lai Shui-wing in best of the game. Following a corner mieing attacks. Of the attack, Lee pletely disorganised, and only fine the second half the latter player kick taken by Tait, Thomas netted Yan-leung and Cheuk Shek-kan im- work by Sammy Tsang, the goal- reduced the arrears with a well- with a powerful close-range drive. keeper, prevented the Royals from placed shot. After Club had with- Just before the interval, however, winning by a big margin.

throughout, and had no right-winger, perfect pass to Fowler, who com- The only goal of the second half Honnibal was the lone player on the pleted his hat-trick. right flank, and he played a really strenuous game, being the outstanding Saints' player.

# wide circle through the Lokmachau country, finishing at Dill's Corner.

Only two suftball games are on the card Recreiu Aces clush with the Bees. Doc Molthen, "Paints" Thomas and "High- Electric in their final game at Caro- ground at 4.30 p.m. EE, who can look back on the days jumper"

In view of the fact that the Aces need (Club) and Clarke (Police) were at their this one victory to clinch the Li Gwokthat they won't find much difficulty in tric, sport from two or three play- is also not available. Roughley and taining the coveted pennant for the so- combination, only Quinn, Gomes, the Rest team. The Canadian, Chinese lasses have the standard. International were well

they, too, need one more triumph to win served by a strong defence, in which

In the Chinese attack Fung Kingcheong and Lai Shui-wing were sad-Pak-wah and Tang Kwong-sum were starved for long periods, and when 'hey did receive the ball their centres were not turned to account owing to the fact the inside forwards tried to walk the ball into the net. Chan Wai-sang was not a success at centre forward. He lacked height and was easily bundled off the ball. In the later stages of the game he was injured and went to outsideleft for Ip Pak-wah to go to insideright. This change was for the better, but still did not bring goals.

### STERLING DEFENCE

and the result was never in doubt. have established their superiority by throughout, and of the half-backs halves, spoiling well and supplying Gow played soundly and plied the forwards with grand passes field was undoubtedly Castro, who Royals were much the stronger the Bickford-Strange wing with which provided the openings. The played a fine gome in goal and made team and were on the attack through- beautiful ground passes. Udell was full-backs played soundly, camera as possible. For action, they use "shots" from big football matches in team played New South Wales in James played well for the losers to show better judgment in the shots, but those that were directed between the sticks, making a numsydney and at the end of the game Lee and held up many dangerous at goal area their score would have at straight at him were not saved very ber of fine saves. was presented with a gold medal for being tacks, while Maxwell supplied his least trebled itself. Their scoring smartly. On the opposite side Tam The Chinese opened the scoring forwards with many passes, only to efforts were appalling and they could Kwan-kon was constantly called into within the first three minutes. Lee

The Saints only fielded ten men further ahead when Pryde sent a after a fine solo run upfield. SOUTH CHINA "A" - Tom Kwan-kon: penalty. Sheehan put his hands up

Yul-wah, Soong Ling-sing and Lau Tau- from Chan Tak-fal and Lee Shekman: Tang Kwon-sum, Fung King-cheong, yau scored easily from the "spot". Chan Wal-sang, Lai Shul-wing and Ip Pak-

CLUB - Odell; Eardley and S. Strange; Skinner, Forrow and Gow: Wilson, Pryde, Fowler, Bickford and E. Strange.

Wilson will officiate at both line Hill, winning by two clear goals, scored in the first half.

and fully deserved their win. Elec-Ribelro and Sloan playing up forward line.

plouship and has been a regular member of the successful C.R.C. "A" and Mined Sum-pol was seen at inside-left have done with more co-operation on the Club ground, commencing at life has made a break of se at bilitards. Sitter being an absentee for some from his inside men.

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# ARE WELL

In a thrilling First Division oncounter on the Club ground yesterdiesex by 4 goals to 1, after being

defence was very apparent. Cooper who did not show up at all well, and who would have been better between the sticks. Drake, the custodian. was completely off form, often fumbling with the ball and showing no anticipation whatsoever. Sheehan was his usual reliable self at rightback, but although he played strenuously, he could not make up for the

faults of his colleagues. The intermediate line was the mainstay of the team, and Bright, in the pivotal berth, looked after his whilst forward line with sound distribution skill of the ball to the wingers. Wilkinson, the left-half, was also prominent and shadowed Chan Tak-fai well but the latter was too speedy for him on occasions. Riches was disappointing at centre-forward in the first half. though later on he did very well and had hard luck in not finding the net Saw was the most outstanding of the forwards, showing fine ball control. coupled with speed, and heing the most dangerous of the line.

FORMIDABLE ATTACK The Chinese forward line was a very formidable one and although they met with stern opposition from the 'Dichards' halves, they encountered little difficulty in the full-back line, which they passed with comparative case. Chan Tak-fai played a glorious game and netted two fine goals. Co-operating perfectly with Kwok Ying-kee, inside-left, he formed the biggest menace to the Middle-

sex gool. The Club backs played splendidly Yeung Kan-po was the best of the

stood numerous shocks they went Chan Tak-fai scored a brilliant goal

was scored through the medium of a Mak Shul-hon and Lee Tin-sang: Fok to protect his face against a shot

The local football season officially closes this afternoon when the annual game between the First Division Champions, South China. "A", and International easily accounted for the Rest will be played, on the Club

Blackburn, the Police representative, will not be playing as he will be International were the better team with the Police hockey team in Macao, while Lau Tse-chan, of Eastern, Forrow will therefore be included in

At the conclusion of the game the trophies and medals for the winners and runners-up of the three Divi-Leonard played in the unaccustomed sions of the League will be distributted by Mrs. M. K. Lo, wife of Hon. Mr. M. K. Lo, vice-president of the Association.

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MILLICENT BLADE had a notable back to its schooldays, to the doughy- every year so far-first coffee, then head of naturally fair hair, she faced urchins on whom it had squan- selsal, then tobacco, that's all you Generally speaking, Millicent's had a doctle and affectionate dis- dered its first affection, to memor- can grow there, and the year Beck- fancy for any particular young man position, and an expression of face ics of changing room and chapel thorpe grew seisal, everyone else was likely to last four months, which changed with lightning rapi- and battered straw boaters. Three was no good; then he grew tobacco, depended on how far he had got in she had danced overnight attemptdity from amiability to laughter and Englishmen in five, it is true, grow but by then it was coffee he ought to that time whether the process of exfrom laughter to respectful interest, snobbish about these things in later have grown, and so on. He stuck tinction was sudden or protracted. But the feature which, more than any life and prefer a nose that makes it nine years. Well, if you work it In the case of Hector, her affection other, endeared her to sentimental more show in public-but two in five out mathematically. Beckthorpe says, had been due to diminish at about Anglo-Saxon manhood was her nose, is an average with which any girl in three years one's bound to strike the time that she became engaged It was not everybody's nose: many of modest fortune may be reason- the right crop. I can't quite explain to him, it had been artificially pro-

prefer one with greater body; it was ably content. not a nose to appeal to painters, for it was far too small and quite without shape, a mere dab of putty with- the tip of this nose. As he did so, out apparent bone structure; a nose his senses recled and in momentary less, mobile button of a nose and was to an abrupt end with his departure which made it impossible for its delirium he saw the fading light of lost again . . "Play up, play up," for Kenya. Accordingly the dulies wearer to be haughty, or imposing the November afternoon, the raw and after the match the smell of of the puppy Hector began with his or astute.

warm and pulpy core; a nose to take exertion. the thoughts of English manhood

Hector kissed her reverently on It would not have done for a gov\_ fields; overheated youth in the ring in his study . . . erness or a 'cellist or even for a scrum; frigid youth at the touchline, post office clerk, but it suited Miss shuffling on the duckboards, chafing Blade's book perfectly, for it was a their fingers, and when their mouths Beckthorpe, and as he dired, he grew nose that pierced the thin surface were emptied of biscuit crumbs, more despondent. crust of the English heart to its cheering their house team to further

"You will wait for me, wan't you?"

"Yes, darling."

"And you will write?"

glehanded against the forces of don't fall for ship siren all love nature, fever, cholera . . . soon I shall be able to send for you to join me."

"Yes, darling."

discussed it all with Beckthorpe - Millicent except for a Christmas card pairing. that's the chap who's selling me the which arrived in the last days of farm. You see, the crop has falled February. that sort of thing, you see."

"Yes, darling."

Later that evening he dined with

port glass.

"Cheer up, old boy,"

Hector filled his glass and gazed with growing distaste round the recking dining-room of Beckthorpe's ed a tall and personable man of marclub. The last awful member had ringcable age who treated his hostess left the room and they were alone with the cold buffet.

"I say, you know, I've been trying to work it out. It was in three years you said the crop was bound to be right, wasn't it?"

"That's right, old boy." "Well, I've been through the sum and it seems to me that It may be eighty-one years before it comes

"No, no, old boy, three or nine or patted Millicent on the knee." at the most twenty-seven."

"Are you sure?". "Quite."

leaving Milly behind. Suppose it is which Mike withdrew his hand eighty-one years before the crop which caused the damage, he swore, succeeds. It's the devil of a time to wrapped his hand in a handkerchief, expect a girl to wait. Some other and at Millicent's entreaty revealed blighter might turn-up, if you see three or four minute wounds. Milliwhat I mean."

ought to give her something. "Hell, I'm always giving her things, bottle of lodine. She either breaks them or loses Now no Englishman, however, them or forgets where she got them." phlegmatic, can have his hand dab-

"Eighty-one years?"

thing to remind her of you." but I might change a bit in twenty- towards him, and as Millicent said,

seven years." I'd give her a dog."

"Dog?" "A healthy puppy that was over sotted suitor.

"Best possible, old boy."

So next morning, before catch- He had on the whole an easy task, ing the boat train. Hector hurried for Millicent's naturally capricious to one of the mammoth stores of nature could, as a rule, be relied London and was shown to the live- upon, unaided, to drive her lovers instock department. "I want a puppy." to extremes of irritation. Moreover

the least." The man looked doubtful. "We ing to the mails. She always open-have some fine healthy pupples of ed them; often she read them to the

course," he admitted, "but none of end, but their contents made little them carry a guarantee. Now if it impression upon her mind, and grawas longevity you wanted, might I dually their writer drifted into ob-recommend a tortoise? They live to livion so that when people said to an extraordinary ago and are very her "How is darling Hector?" it came safe in traffic." naturally to her to reply, "He doesn't

"No, it must be a pup." "Or a parrot?"

one named Hector." They walked together past mon- of malaria and there is black worm keys and kittens and cockatoos to the in his tobacco crop." dog department which, even at this Playing upon this affection which early hour, had attracted a small had grown up for him Hector peared to fetch him his change, he to usurp the conversation.

tor. See that she doesn't marry any-. Having made this apparent at whatone until I get back." And the pup Hector waved his easy to lead Millicent on to an in-

negligently, went to the wrong sta- paw to his ear.

moving did he bundle the animal into Beckthorpe's arms with instructions to deliver him at Millicent's Hector would affect to be sick-no "Yes, darling," she replied more address. Luggage labelled for difficult feat after the unwelcome dict doubtfully, 'sometimes . . . at least Mombasa, "Wanted on the voyage," of lump sugar; he would stretch out

very much neglected. Out There," said Hector. "It's go- and rolled past the Channel light- paved in marble, was less vulnering to be terrible-miles of impas- houses, he received a radiogram; able-but by that time a tender atsable waggon track between me and Miscrable to miss you went Padding- mosphere had been shattered and the nearest white man, blinding sun, ton like idiot thank you thank you one wholly prejudicial to romance lions, mosquitoes, hostile natives, for sweet dop I love him father minds created to take its place. work from dawn until sunset sin- dreadfully longing to hear about farm

In the Red Sea he received called Mike. "It's bound to be a success. I've . After that Hector heard nothing of

why, but it is like roulette and all longed during the 'succeeding three weeks, during which he made strenuous, infectiously carnest efforts to Hector gazed at her little, shape- find employment in England; it came mist spreading over the playing crumpets being toasted over a gas- first days at home. He was young for the job and wholly inexperienced; it is impossible to blame him for

> This was a young man who had "To-morrow this time I shall be enjoyed a wholly unromantic friendat sea," he said, twiddling his empty ship with Millicent since she first,

But the puppy Hector could hardly be expected to know this. All he knew was that two days after receiving his commission, he observwith the sort of familiarity which, among the kennel maids with whom he had been brought up, meant only

The two young people were having tea together. Hector watched for some time from his place on the sofa, barely stifling his growls. A climax was reached when, in . the course of some barely intelligible back-chat Mike leant forward and

It was not a serious bite, a mere snap, in fact; but Hector had small teeth as sharp as pins. It . . . you know it's awful was the sudden, nervous speed with cent spoke harshly to Hector and "Tell you what, old boy. You tenderly to Mike, and hurried to her mother's medicine cupboard for a

"You must give her something she bed with lodine without, momentari-

will always have by her, something ly at any rate, falling in love.
that will last."

Mike had seen the nose countless times before, but that afternoon, as "Well, say, twenty-seven. Some- it was bowed over his scratched thumb, and as Millicent said, "Am "I could give her a photograph— hurting terribly?" as it was raised "There! Now it will be all right," "No, no, that would be most un- Mike suddenly saw it transfigured as suitable. A photograph wouldn't do its devotees saw it, and from that at all. I know what I'd give her, moment, until long after the three months of attention which she accorded him, he was Millicent's be-

distemper and looked like living a The pup Hector saw all this and long time. She might even call it realised his mistake. Never again, he decided, would he give Millicent "Would that be a good thing, the excuse to run for the iodine bettle.

"Yes, sir, any particular sort?" she had come to love the dog. She "One that will live a long time, received very regular letters from Eighty-one years, or twenty-seven at Hector, written weekly and arriving in batches of three or four accordnaturally to her to reply, "He doesn't like the hot weather much I'm "No, no, a pup. I would prefer state. I'm thinking of having him plucked," instead of, "He had a go

congregation of rapt worshippers, achieved a technique for dealing There were pupples of all varieties with Millicent's young men. He no in wire fronted kennels, cars cocked, longer growled at them or soiled tails wagging, noisily soliciting atten- their trousers, that merely resulted tion. Rather wildly, Hector selected in his being turned from the room, a poodle and, as the salesman disap- instead, he found it increasingly casy

leant down for a moment's intense Tea was the most dangerous time communion with the beast of his of day, for then Millicent was perchoice. He gazed deep into the mitted to entertain friends in her sharp little face, avoided a sudden sitting-room; accordingly though he snap and said with profound solem- had a constitutional preference for "You are to look after Milly, Hec- cally simulated a love of lump sugar. ever cost to his digestion, it was terest in tricks; he would beg and "trust," lie down as though dead; Millicent came to see him off, but, stand in the corner and raise a fore

tion; it could not have mattered, how- "What does SUGAR spell?" Milliever, for she was twenty minutes cent would ask, and Hector would late. Hector and the poodle hung walk round the tea table to the about the barrier looking for her, sugar-bowl and lay his nose against and not until the train was already it, gazing earnestly and clouding the

## EVELYN WAUGH

silver with his moist breath.

"He understands everything." Millicent would say in triumph. When tricks failed Hector would demand to be let out of the door. The young man would be obliged to interrupt himself to open it. Once on the other side Hector would scratch

and whine for re-admission. In moments of extreme anxiety I'll try. Writing is not my best lay in the rack above him. He felt his neck, retching noisily, till Millicent snatched him up and carried "I shall think of you all the time That evening as the ship pitched him to the hall, where the floor,-

This series of devices, spaced out through the afternoon and tactfully obtruded whenever the guest showed signs of leading the conversation to other: Beware sirens puppy bit man a more in imate phase, distracted young man after young man and sent them finally away, baffled and des-

Every morning Hector lay on Millicent's bed while she took her breakfast and read the daily paper. This hour from ten to eleven was sacred to the telephone, and it was then that the young men with whom make plans for the day.

At first Hector sought, not unsuccessfully, to prevent these assignations by entangling himself in the wire, but soon a subtler and more insulting technique suggested itself. He pretended to telephone too. Thus, as soon as the bell rang, he would wag his tail and cock his head on one side in a way that he had learned was engaging. Millicent would begin her conversation and Hector would driggle up under her arm and nuzzle against the receiver.

"Listen," she would say, "somehis mistake in the matter of Mike an angel?" Then she would hold one wants to talk to you. Isn't he the receiver down to him and the (Continued on Page 28)

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once been saved from very critical situations by enemies rather than by his he fought the Polish war to the bit- in the diplomatic field which might triumphant, Germany. friends.

was in a state of complete dissolution when Hitler was suddenly lifted by von Papen and others from a hopeless situation to the summit of tions of war, still clung to the idea

At the beginning of the second half-year of this war, with Germany la a situation which though not yet desperate is actually hopeless, this question arises, "Will Hitter once more succeed in being saved by his enemies?" There can be no doubt that Hitler himself believes in the possibility, in fact in the probability, of such a fundamental turn

of events. One may wonder why Hitler has not made tactical use of Germany's original considerable superiority in the air. It is probable that he did not want to launch out into any ir- young man at the other end would

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his fundamental and almost irrepar- the way of an "understanding." able mistake-namely the fact that ter end and gave time to the West-In January, 1933, the Nazi Party ern Powers to complete their mobiliantion and disposition of troops - Is only understandable if we assume that Hitler, in spite of the declarathat he could make a favourable

peace with Britain and France. Is that peace still possible in view of the unequivocal statements of the British and French Governments? I believe that only this unshakable

conviction of Hitler's in the prospects of peace can sufficiently explain not only his own actions, but also the mise. fact that certain circles in Germany further successes for National Social-

fore the death struggle with the But in the opinion of the German motives want to prevent a suppospower Hitler has more than Western Powers actually started. leaders nothing has yot happened edly avoidable blood bath. And also what is now obviously which would be a real obstacle in 2. The support of non-belligerent

### By Dr. Hermann RAUSCHNING Author of "Hitler Speaks"

fundamentally change the balance of power and so force the Western Powers to accept his peace proposals? For this is the point-whether he can or cannot make a compro-

There is no doubt that possibilities 1. The support of intellectual and

## who cannot really be interested in of that kind seem open to him:

(Continued from Page 22)

much to Millicent that often she A delightful trait." had spoken a word.

Park when she was taking Hec.or matter of course. for exercise. Here, at first, Hector In his more ambitious moments perly organise the Russian resources, for her. He would trot in front of the country, he added at the foot of the couple, and whenever he thought the letter, "Of course the invitation an interruption desirable he would includes little licetor."

For this reason Hitler request, to the don-

cent read the letters aloud to the tray of cups at tea time. dog, usually she left them unread on Conduct that had driven Millicent his side.

her breakfast tray. mark complacently that it was curi- shut away for the rest of the visit. never got married.

regime a new problem presented it- to notice. hitherto tackled.

Sir Alexander was not a young cent wash him and brought some man, he was forty-five and a widower. He was wealthy, popular and for the operation. preternaturally patient, he was also mildly distinguished, being joint- and had half the household search- who believe that the future of master of a Midland pack of hounds ing for him with lanterns, he killed Europe lies in a great new collective and a junior Minister, he bore a some young pheasants and made a

delighted when they saw that her actual proposal, it is true—once in nose was having its effect on him, the Dutch garden, once on the way Hector took against him from the first to the stables and once while he was exerted every art which his two and being bathed-but when Monday a half years' practice had perfect- morning arrived and he heard Sir ed, and achieved nothing. Devices Alexander say, "I hope Hector enthat had driven a dozen young men Joyed his visit a little. I hope I to frenzies of chagrin seemed only shall see him here very, very often," to accentuate Sir Alexander's ten-

was found to have filled the pockets of his evening clothes' with lump

sugar for Hector; when Hector was disturb national unity among the sick Sir Alexander was there first, enemies of Germany? on his knees with a page of "The Times": Hector resorted to his early, popular among the masses. Would violent manner and bit him fre- a war against united world collecrevocable actions which would have be dazed by a shattering series of quently and hard, but Sir Alexonelps.

This accomplishment appealed so am making the little fellow jealous.

> it directly to the black snout, so that parents, his sisters, his schoolfellows, cept the fait accompli in Poland, but some wretched young man half a his company-sergeant and his col- also to disrupt the unity of the Britmile away, feeling perhaps, none onel, his colleagues in politics, his ish and French home fronts. too well in the early morning, found wife, his joint-master, huntsman and It is more than questionable whehimself barked to silence before he hunt secretary, his election agent, ther Hitler will be able to remain his constituents and even his parlin- on the defensive in the West until he At other times young men badly mentary private secretary had one has secured in the North and Southtaken, with the nose, would at and all pitched into Sir Alexander. East of Europe his vital supplies of tempt to waylay Millicent in Hyde and he accepted this treatment as a raw materials and until he can pro-

> would get lost, fight other dogs and he referred to Hector in Mulicent's bite small children to keep himself hearing as "my little rival." There enough time for this and that the constantly in her attention, but soon could be no doubt whatever of his rapid exhaustion of the whole Gerhe adopted a gen ler course. He intentions, and when he asked Milli- man economic machine will accelerinsisted upon carrying Millicent's bag cent and her mama to visit him in ate too fast.

> drop the bag; the young man was The Saturday to Monday visit to obliged to pick it up and restore it Sir Alexander's was a nightmare to the West, which, though it could not first to Millicent and then, at her the poodle. He worked as he had never worked before; every artifice Few young men were sufficiently by which he could render his preservile to submit to more than one sence odious was attempted and atwalk in these degrading conditions. tempted in vain. As far as his host morale in Germany.

> in shame from half the stately homes She and Hector moved together of England was intekly accepted here. through the leisurely routine of There were other dogs in the house English social life. Whenever she -elderly, sober, well-behaved anicarried her nose, two in five mar- mals at whom Hector flew; they turn- sary concessions for peace, before riageable men fell temporarily in love, ed their heads sadly away from his the masses of the German people wherever Hector followed their ar- yaps of defiance, he snapped at their dour changed to irritation, shame cars. They lolloped sombrely out of and disgust. Mothers began to re- reach, and Sir Alexander had them

ous how that fascinating Blade girl There was an exciting Aubusson carpet in the dining-room to which conditions. Hector was able to do irreparable At last in the third year of this damage; Sir Alexander seemed not

self in the person of Major Sir Alex- Hector found a carrion in the park indeed, but certainly the possibility was up against something altogeth- to his nature-and, returning, fouler more formidable than he had ed every chair in the drawing-room, hitherto tackled. Sir Alexander himself helped Milli-

war record of conspicuous gallantry, sporting attempt on a peacock. All Milly's father and mother were to no purpose. He staved off an

he know that he was defeated, It was now only a matter of wait-When he came to the house to ing. The evenings in London were feich Millicent for the evening he a time when it was impossible for him to keep Millicent under observation. One of these days he would wake up to hear Millicent telephoning to her girl friends, breaking the good news of her engagement.

Thus, it was that after a long conflict of loyalties he came to a desperate resolve. He had grown fond of his young mistress, often and often when her face had been pressed down to his he had felt sympathy with that long line of young men whom it was his duty to persecute.

But Hector was no kitchen-haunting mongrel. By the code of all well-born dogs chaser, not the mere feeder and fondler, to whom ultimate loyalty is due. The hand which had once fumbled with the fivers in the live-stock department of the mammoth store now tilled the unfertile soil of equatorial Africa, but the sacred words of commission still rang in Hector's memory,

All through the Sunday night and the journey of Monday morning, Hector wrestled with his problem; then he came to the decision. The nose must go.

It was an easy business; one firm snap as she bent over his basket and the work was accomplished. She went to a plastic surgeon and emerged some weeks later without a scar or stitch. But it was a different nose; the surgeon in his way was an artist, and, as I have said above, Millicent's nose had no sculptural qualities. Now she has a fine aris-tocratic beak, worthy of the spinster she is about to become. Like all spinsters, she watches cagorly for the foreign mails and keeps carefully under lock and key a casket full of depressing agricultural intelligence; like all spinsters, she is accompanied everywhere by an ageing lap-dog.

In his remarkable rise to destroyed all possibility of peace be-ism are persuaded into acquiescence, religious forces which from humane

and neutral Powers which are inter-Has Hitler any prospect of success ested in a strong, though not a

> 3. The support of certain elements inside enemy countries where German propaganda has been at pains to divide or to paralyse public opinion-propaganda by whispering campaigns rather than by direct radio approach.

The pact with Moscow, it must be emphasised, has caused German loss of support abroad among her other allies. But is not this loss, in this age of short memories, of only a transitory nature? Could not the vital interests of Spain, Italy and Japan assert themselves and lead after all to the broad "peace front" which Hitler would welcome?

But there is still another . factor. Does not the German-Russian pact

The struggle against Fascism was tivism-Nazism and Bolshevism be as popular?

There can be no doubt that the would not even bother to find out the name of the caller, but, instead, would take off the receiver and hold bitterly from his earliest days — his purpose of the German-Russian pact was not only to shock the Western bitterly from his earliest days — his

It is probable that he will not gain

For this reason Hitler might be forced to seek a military decision in give him a decisive victory, might provide tactical successes with their consequent good effects on public

in this way two years passed. Let- was concerned, that is to say. The . It is obvious that he prefers, beters arrived constantly from Kenya, rest of the household responded well fore such a military offensive, to full of devotion, full of minor disas- enough, and he received a vicious proceed with his peace drive with ers-blight in the seisal, locusts in kick when, through, his own bad all the means at his command, which, the coffee, labour troubles, drought, management, he found himself alone if successful, would be tantamount flood, the local government, the with the second footman, whom he to a victory for him, even if the world market. Occasionally Milli- had succeeded in upsetting with a armistice were conditional on certain visible sacrifices and guarantees from

> No one in Germany will be able or allowed to give the necessary guarantees of security, that is the necesrealise the real plight of the Reich. But by the time that the people of Germany do realise fully their posttion then it will probably be too late for many of the present peace

To find a way, out of this tragic contradiction would be a great thing ander Dreadnought, Bart., M.P., and and conscientiously roled in it — al- of it does not lie along the path Hector immediately realised that he though such a thing was obnoxious which certain people are now trying to smooth out.

A lasting peace cannot be negotinted with Hitler nor any of his lieutenants, even if his new Bolshevist-collectivist phase may open up Hector howled all night; he hid for him new sympathies among those world order.

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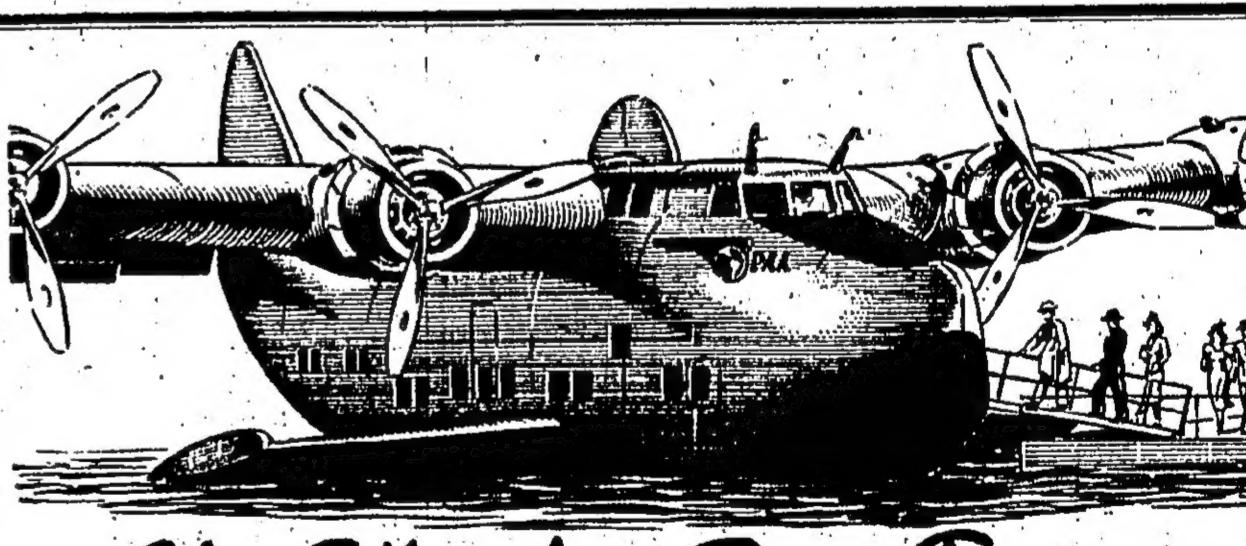




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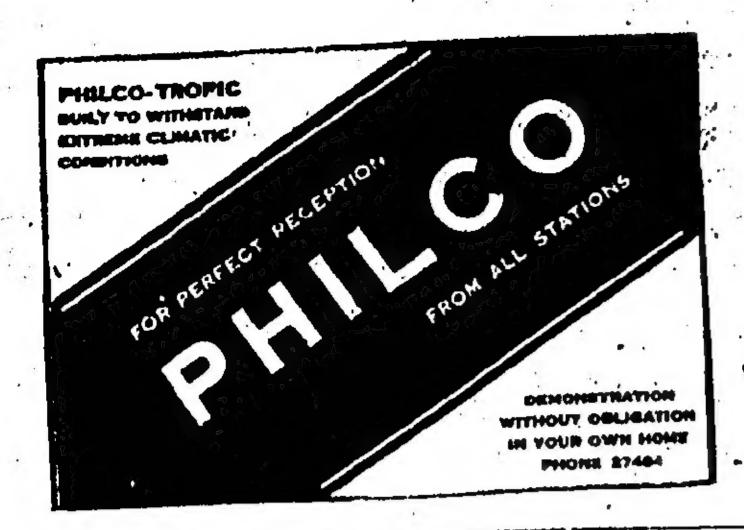
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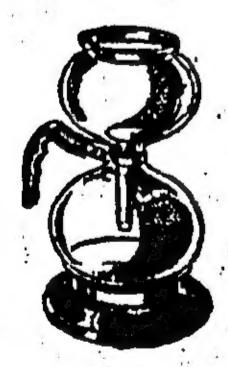
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The Germans are reported to have lost 200 men trying to cross the River Glomma, when Norwegian guerillas trapped the invaders by destroying a dam further up stream.

If reports are confirmed that Canadian troops landed at the head of Romsdals Fjord, which runs 160 miles south-east to Hamar, sharp fighting may soon be expected in that area.

Contact is giso reported between

Hamar Taken

[SPECIAL TO "SUNDAY HERALD"]

the "Daily Express" says that violent

fighting is in progress in southern

taken Hamar, according to latest re-

ports, but announcements of the fall

The Allied Expeditionary Force

and Norwegian troops are now in

contact at many points and Bri-

tish staff officers have joined the

Between Oslo and the west coast

There are indications of the im-

minence of an Allied offensive against

Trondheim from both north and

German Communique

vancing steadily in the whole Oslo

region, capturing increasing numbers

"Formidable"

A German spokesman to-day ad-

mitted that the British forces near

Narvik are "formidable." - Reuter.

According To Plan

The press declares the Allied

operations in Norway are going on

Typical comment is that of "Le

"The Allies have nothing to fear

Matin" which says: "It is greatly to

the Allies' interest not to sit behind

In following or preceding Hitler

N. Y. DANES TAKE

CURIOUS DECISION

The Danish shipping committee

The committee, representing major.

here has rejected the British re-

New York, Yesterday.

well and according to plan.

of prisoners and quantities of war

Berlin, Yesterday.

Berlin, Yesterday,

Paris, Yesterday.

Norweglan Command.

from the const.--Havas.

tasks according to plan."

material. — Reuter.

The Stockholm correspondent of

London, Yesterday.

south of Trondheim.

Nothing is definitely known of the Allied strength but according to one report there are two British divisions and one French division, altogether about 50,000 men.

The Germans are reported to have put 1,200 ashore originally in the Trondholm district and it is Orkdal and Kvaul.-Reuter. supposed another 2,000 have arrived by gir.

The Germans, with weak numbers, are expected to fight defensively and they are reported already to be calling back detachments along the reil-

### Surprise Onslaughts

It is also expected that the Ger- of Elverum are premature. mans will make surprise onslaughts with small detachments in order to hinder the progress of the Allies southward from Namsos.

Reinforcements are reported to have been sent to 400 Germans who landed on the ice six miles the Norwegians have been able to east of Namsos who have already organise and troops have been able been in action against the Allies. In place themselves at strategie Reports from Narvik come from points along the lines of communicarefugees who succeeded in escaping tion. and usually arrive exhausted after skiing across country.

## Rats In A Trap

They say all exit from Narvik is prohibited for both sexes and the shortage of food felt is relieved occasionally when a fishingboat arrives.

They declare the Germans In Narvik are caught like rate in a trap and that all of the town of Lofoten is held by the British. There have been numerous reports of gunfire in the Skagerrak but people on the coast have seen nothing.-Reuter.

## First Clash

[BPECIAL TO "SUNDAY HERALD"] Stockholm, Yesterday. The first clash between British and German troops in Central Norway occurred at Grong, near Trondheim. Oslo is threatened with a food shortage, meat supplies being

particularly unavailable. It is understood that the Norwegian mobilisation order was given over British radio stations since the main Norwegian radio stations are now in German hands.—Havas.

## Nazi Drive Held Up

London, Yesterday. Reports reaching London from thumbs. Sweden state that the German drive to the east from Trondheim is being held up by the gollant resistance of wherever his plane tead him."-Reuthe Norwegian garrison in the for- tortress of Hegres,-Reutex.

### Events Shaping For Battle Near Trondhelm

Stockholm, Yesterday. According to reports here events seem shaping for fighting in the Trondhelm region where the Norwagians have been able to complete, quest that Danish ships should transtheir mobilisation fairly undisturbed for to Allied register or risk science. and are concentrating at Stainjaer, by the Allies as enemy ships. 60 miles north of Trondhelm.

They have contacted the Allies Danish lines, was formed in New who landed at Names and Molde, York last week to handle the pro-75 miles toland from the mouth of blem of Danish shipping outside Denmark .- Reuter.

## GETS CROIX DE GUERRE

Paris, Yesterday. The first American to receive French decoration in this war is a volunteer in the American ambulance corps, who has been given the Croix de Guerre with

**AMERICAN** 

The American rescued three wounded French soldlers in No-Man's Land .- Reuter.

### ARTILLERY, the Norwehlans and the Allies TANKS, The Germans are reported to be putting a ring of defences around Trondheim and fighting is also expected 20 miles to the south between

London, Yesterday. Day after day British transports have carried heavy artillery, tanks, army equipment and thousands of troops over 400 miles of sea by the explosions of depth charges. Nerway. The German force have to ports in northern Norway without mishap.

They have been guarded by Briish warships, submarines and the R.A.F. and under cover of British guns they have been safely disembarked and made contact with the evade them. When she came up Norwegian forces, and there is rea- again, the transport had gone and son to believe the forces of the three all that was left was a huge patch Allies are preparing plans to drive of oil and floating wreckage. the Germans from their present posi-

tions around Trondheim. A military expert states the opin- ship.—Reuter. ion that the devastating attacks by the R.A.F. on Stavanger aerodrome have made it prac'ically untenable and the Germans have found it difsouth, and of a drive towards Hamar Scult to release large numbers of machines to attack the Allied troop Janeiro," received an enthusiastic

convoys.

in well-informed aeronautical circles it is even suggested that this heeltancy to run risks may indicate A High Command communique that Germany has not the colossal claims that the German troops in number of planes she would have the Norway "continue to carry out their world believe.-Reuter.

## A number of islands in the re-The Germans are said to be ad-MAN LOST LANDING

Berlin, Yesterday. The official German news agency claims that in a big German air raid on a strongly defended British convoy off the Norwegian coast two large transports now arrested the brother of Milan and a cruiser were hit by heavy bombs.

It is added that on account of antiaircraft fire it was impossible to asthe Maginot Line twiddling their certain what ships had been sunk.-

Reuter. OFFICIAL STATEMENT Lundon, Yesterday. The entire British and French expeditionary force in Norway reached its destination without the

loss of a single man. The fact, revealed in London to- anti-submarine vessels. day, not only refutes German claims to have sunk Allied transports but have been armed. - Reuter. proves how completely the Allies control the sea.—Reuter.

## ADMIRAL SIR ERNEST GAUNT DEAD

London Yesterday. Admiral-Sir Ernest Gaunt, who commanded the First Battle-cruiser Squadron at Julland, dled in London to-day.

Caunt was 75 years of age.—Router. Nort newspaper.—Reuter.

Norwegians discussing the war news in London. A picture out-side the Norwegian Seamen's institute at Rotherhithe. (Copyright,

## SINKING OF RIO DE JANEIRO

London, Yesterday. Further details are now available of the sinking of the Nazi troopship, Rio de Janeiro, by the Polish sub-

marine, Orzel. After sinking the vessel, which is believed to have been carrying about 300 men, the Orzel submerged and crept along, being continually rocked

. A member of the crew says that when they sighted the large troopship, the Orzel "let her have it" with a torpedo, which struck the ship amidships,

The Orzel was attacked by German destroyers but .. managed ... to

Most of those in the Rio de Janeiro reemed to have gone down with the

## **Four Other Victims**

London, Yesterday. The Polish submarine Orzel, which sank the Nazi transport "Rio de welcome when she returned to a British port to-day after her adventurous experiences in Norwegian

it is now believed that in addition to the "Rio de Janeiro," the Orzel sank . a German destroyer and three German supply ships. A member of the Polish crew stated to-day: "We had no difficulty in sinking the Rio de Janeiro and later we saw three supply ships which

we sent down. "Then we were attacked by a German destroyer but we got in the first thrust and we believe the destroyer was sunk."-Reuter.

## NEWS

Belgrade, Yesterday. The Yugo-Slav authorities have Stoyadinavitch, the former Premier, for activities against the State. The brother is director of a newspaper which has been noted for its

pro-German attitude. - Reuter. Paris, Yesterday. More than 200 warships, of all classes have been added to the French Navy since war began, it

was announced to-day. They include destroyers of the powerful Corsnir class, sloops and fast In addition, 500 auxiliary ships

London, Yesterday. A further R.A.F. cosualty list was issued by the Air Ministry to-day. cluding 67 officers and men missing, believed killed in action.-Reuter.

Stockholm, Yesterday. The police this morning raided the

## **PRESS** STOP

Belgrade, Yesterday. The Yugo-Slav Premier to-day declared: "We desire absolute neutrality but any attempt against our frontiers will find us ready to defend ourselves." --

Bucharest, Yesterday. An order issued to-day forbids armed vessels entering the Rumanian stretch of the Danube-

Brussels, Yesterday. An air battle between foreign planes took place over Belgian territory, to-day; Belgium is forwarding a strong protest to

Berlin. A French plane made a forced landing near the frontier today; the pilot was interned and the plane seized.—Reuter.

London, Yesterday. A War Office communique issued to-night says the operations in Norway are proceeding

according to plan. Yesterday the Allied troops occupied certain points of van-

The War Office also announces. the landing of French troops-Reuter.

London, Yesterday. Speaking in the North of England to-day, the Labour leader, Mr. Hugh Dalton, expressed Britain's desire for friendship with Italy.

He declared: "There is uncortainty as to italy's intentions and our duty is clear. Our war is against Hitler; we do not desire to seek other enemies but we will not run away from any ally Hitler may pick up. We are ready for all eventuall-

"We have destroyed most of the German navy in the North Sea and the Allies have strong naval reinforcements for other

nrens. "I love Italy and have undying memories of Italian soldiers in the last war. I should regard a war with Italy as graver than a war with Germany.

"May it not come but if it does we will face it without hesitation.

"I believe destiny intended Britain and Italy to be friends. In recent days the Italian public has been misled by its press. Italy's place is not by the side of a barbarian who is staggering to his doom,"-Reuter.

## A.R.P. CUT COSTS

London, Yesterday. Paid A.R.P. workers in Britain are to be reduced by 35,000; saving the Government £5,000,000 a year. ARP, will not be lessened, howover, and an appeal is to be made The list contains 192 names, in- for volunteers to join unpaid parttime A.R.P. work .- Reuter.

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